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WASHINGTON AWAITS REPLY TO WARNINGS

WIDESPREAD COMMENT IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES

Washington, Feb. 12.—The note to Germany warning against menace to American lives and property in the new naval war zone about the British Isles; and the note to Great Britain pointing out the danger to neutral shipping by any general use of the American flag over belligerent merchant vessels, were discussed at today's cabinet meeting, but all administration officials refrained from comment upon them.

Secretary Bryan would say no more than that the United States had not yet been officially advised of the receipt of the papers in London and Berlin.

Publication of the text of the two documents produced wide-

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BRITISH REPLY NOT AVAILABLE

London, Feb. 12.—On account of the great length of the British government's reply to the American note concerning their interference with American shipping, it probably will be several days before the text is available.

HILLSBORO MAN NAMED

Columbus, Feb. 12—F. R. Ambrose, of Hillsboro, was appointed chief clerk in the banking department by Superintendent Harry T. Hall today. The salary is $2,000.

Mr. Ambrose is a brother of Mrs. R. B. Cunningham, of 607 John street.

FEAR ANOTHER BRIDGE PLOT

Portland, Maine, Feb. 12.—A large force of police and watchmen stationed at the elevators, docks and coal pockets of the Grand Trunk railway, was increased substantially today in consequence of the reported plot to destroy the railroad's property here and its principal bridges between this city and the Canadian boundary. Word received from the company's general offices at Montreal asserted that the alleged plot was evolved in California and that six men were found here to carry it out.

LINCOLN

(By PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR)

Hurt was the nation with a mighty wound,
And all her ways were filled with clam'rous sound;
Wailed loud the South with unremitting grief,
And wept the North, that could not find relief.
Then madness joined its harshest tone to strife;
A minor note swelled in the song of life.
Till, stirring with the love that filled his breast,
But still, unflinching at the Right's behest,
Grave Lincoln came, strong-handed, from afar—
The mighty Homer of the lyre of war!
'Twas he who bade the ringing tempest cease,
Wrenched from his strings the harmony of peace,
Muted the strings that made discord—Wrong—
And gave his spirit up in thund'rous song.
Oh, mighty Master of the mighty lyre!
Earth heard and trembled at thy strains of fire;
Earth learned of thee what Heav'n already knew,
And wrote thee down among her treasured few!

AGED FARMER AND WIFE MURDERED

Gibsonburg, Feb. 12—Mrs. Jos. Kimbel, 70, was murdered and her husband, Joseph Kimbel, 72, was probably fatally beaten by unknown men at their home near Bradner, Wood county, early to day. Kimbel kept large sums of money about his house.

ADAMS COUNTY SCRAMBLES FOR JOB NOT OPEN

Washington, Feb. 12.—Despite the fact there is no vacancy in the Postoffice at Peebles, Adams County, Ohio, a warm fight among Democrats who are seeking the place has begun.

A postoffice inspector recently was sent to the office, over which Cory A. Watts presides, and the presence of this inspector apparently has given rise to Democratic hopes that another place at the pie counter is about to be made ready. The patronage will be in the hands of Senator Pomerene.

Orville O. Ryan, H. B. Gaffin, Jr., and O. C. Reynolds are candidates for the office, their indorsements and letters being filed in quantity with Senator Pomerene, in about the order in which they are named.

U. S. AGAIN ASKS GERMANY TO EXPLAIN

Washington, Feb. 12.—The United States has sent an inquiry to Germany on the complaint of American Minister Vandyke at The Hague that German military commanders were interfering with his diplomatic communications with Luxemburg. Secretary Bryan so announced today.

A report that some of his mail had been held up by German military authorities reached the state department from Dr. Vandyke last night, Secretary Bryan said. Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, was instructed to make representations to the German foreign office.

SAY FOUR PER CENT OF BRITISH COMMERCIAL NAVY SUNK

Berlin, Feb. 12—(By wireless to Sayville)—Among the statement given out for publication today by the Overseas News Agency, were the following items:

"Contrary to British reports that since the beginning of the war only one per cent of the British merchant ships have been sunk, Hamburg ship owners state that 113 ships, of 208,000 tons, or about four per cent of the British commercial navy, have been destroyed.

"The Prussian minister of agriculture stated to a newspaper correspondent that Germany was assured of a supply of food and would be able to continue the war longer than France or Russia."

HURRICANE, EARTHQUAKE AND TIDAL WAVE; THREE PERSONS KILLED

Tutila, American Samoa, Feb. 12—(by wireless)—Not only a hurricane, but with it an earthquake and a tidal wave swept Nopum's Island of the Samoan group, as reported here two days ago. Fuller details received today show that three persons were killed, one of whom was beheaded by flying wreckage.

THREATEN KENTUCKY JUDGE WITH DEATH

Bowling Green, Ky., Feb. 12—"We hate to kill him but we will" was the concluding sentence of a note found posted threatening death for County Judge H. H. Denhardt, the destruction of Bowling Green by fire and its public utilities by explosives.

The notice was the second within two weeks promising punishment for Judge Denhardt unless he was instrumental in freeing Thomas Burns, a wrestler of Ironton, Penna., and Clarence Stem, of Springfield, Tenn., who are awaiting trial by him on the charge of highway robbery.

CINCINNATI STOCK YARDS ARE RE-OPENED

Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—Having been thoroughly cleaned and disinfected the Union stock yards in this city were re-opened today for the receipt of live stock for immediate slaughter from free areas in the United States, excluding Illinois and public stock yards.

ATTEMPTS TO BREAK JAIL

Akron, Feb. 12.—Ed Murphy, Cleveland, sentenced to serve from one to fifteen years in the penitentiary for burglary, Wednesday, made a second attempt to break jail today. Murphy, while a cell mate of Harry Boomer, alleged hatchet murderer of Vinnie Becker, attempted to saw his way out of jail four weeks ago but was caught in the act.

Jailors Rupp and McCaslin caught Murphy today in the act of sawing the bars of his cell.

GIRL FROM U. S. HELD AS SPY, IS RELEASED

Berlin (via London) Feb. 12—Miss Carolyn Wilson, of Beverly, Mass., arrested here several days ago on suspicion of espionage, was released yesterday after a Mr. James W. Baird had interceded vigorously in her behalf. She came to Berlin as the correspondent of a Chicago paper and was taken into custody. It was alleged, because she displayed indiscreet curiosity concerning naval affairs, gun calibres and other matters.

Miss Wilson formerly was a resident of Berlin and was widely known in the American colony. Her release was granted only upon condition that she leave Germany immediately.

GERMAN CATHOLIC PRELATE SAYS GOD SHIELDS TEUTONS

Cologne (via Berlin) Feb. 12—Cardinal Von Hartmann, archbishop of Cologne, in addressing a meeting of Catholics yesterday said:

"The Emperor's 'I no longer know parties; I know only Germans,' has found a unanimous echo among the German people, who are united for King and country.

"The motto for today is: 'Trust in God and hold out.' Our armies protecting us in the East and West are in good position. God will not permit atheistic France and orthodox Russia to crush the flourishing religious life in the Fatherland.

"Trust, therefore, in our just cause, our brave troops and the noble Emperor, who is adorned with all the virtues of his Hohenzollern forefathers. Trust above all in the Ruler of Battles, to whom we faithfully and continually pray!"

CARRANZA EXPELS SPANISH OFFICIAL; SITUATION IS ACUTE

Washington, Feb. 12.—Administration officials and diplomats waited with some anxiety today developments they feared might follow General Carranza's expulsion of the Spanish minister, Jose Curo, from Mexico. The minister was believed to be on his way to Vera Cruz after having been ordered out of Mexico for alleged harboring of Angel de Caso, a Spanish subject, accused of aiding General Villa.

The American battleship Delaware at Vera Cruz had been ordered to take the minister on board for protection.

Secretary Daniels received a wireless today from the captain of the Delaware saying the Spanish minister had not arrived at Vera Cruz at the time of its dispatch. The Carranza agency here has issued a statement justifying Carranza's action.

President Rejects Compromise On Bill

Washington, Feb. 12.—President Wilson today rejected the compromise ship bill evolved yesterday by Democratic leaders of the House. He refused to agree into an amendment terminating the activities of the government in the shipping business two years after the close of the European war.

Representing the president, Postmaster General Burleson made a counter proposition to the leaders. It was that the House combine Senator Gore's substitute for the administration bill with a bill by Senator Weeks which already has passed the senate, proposing a line of naval auxiliaries to be used for passengers and freight in emergencies at the direction of the secretary of the navy. Mr. Burleson said the president would not accept any amendment to destroy the permanent character of the project.

With the White House proposal as a new basis, further negotiations went forward.

LAY CORNERSTONE OF LINCOLN MEMORIAL

Washington, Feb. 13.—The corner stone of the two million dollars Lincoln Memorial structure was laid here today without ceremonies. Former Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, the resident member of the Lincoln Memorial commission was in charge. In the cornerstone were laid a copper box containing a history of Lincoln, signed by his living son, Robert T. Lincoln, and other historical data.

Lincoln's 16th birthday anniversary was observed in the House with an address by Representative Sherwood, of Ohio.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Robert A. Balfour, aged 48, financier and traction magnate, of this city, died at his home last night after an illness of several months.

FIRE DESTROYS OLD THEATRE

Chicago, Feb. 12—The Academy of Music, Chicago's oldest theatre, located in the center of the crowded West Side at Halsted and Madison streets, was destroyed by fire early today with a loss of $175,000. It was a four story structure erected in 1870, and was the only theatre not ruined in the great fire of 1871. In recent years the theatre had been operated as a vaudeville house.

GERMAN TROOPS THROWN INTO EAST STOP RUSSIAN ADVANCE

Millionaire Damage Suit Is Dismissed

Max Kleist, Juliet Breitung Kleist and sketch showing their romantic first meeting in Michigan.

New York, Feb. 12.—A jury trying a suit for $250,000 damages brought against E. N. Breitung, millionaire owner of the steamship Dacia, by Max Kleist, who married Miss Juliet Breitung, the defendant's daughter, was discharged today in the federal court because of the publication yesterday of stories to the effect that Kleist had been twice assaulted since his wife had ceased to live with him. The court held that publication of these stories would doubtless tend to influence the jury in Kleist's behalf. Kleist based his action on alleged alienation of his wife's affections from him by her parents.

GOVERNOR AT HIS DESK AGAIN TODAY

Columbus, Feb. 12.—Governor Willis was at his office today, apparently recovered from his illness of yesterday when he was forced to deny himself to visitors while suffering from a severe headache caused by overwork and irregular hours. He said he was feeling well, although attendants at his office declared he did not appear up to his normal condition. It was understood physicians had ordered him to abandon the custom of working at his office until late at night, as he has been doing ever since his inauguration.

CROSS IS CONFIRMED

Columbus, Feb. 12.—The senate today confirmed the appointment of J. E. Cross, of Portsmouth, as state printer to succeed Frank Harper of Mount Vernon. The salary will be left at $2,000.

IOWA LEGISLATURE HAS DRY MEASURE

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 12.—The Iowa senate today adopted a constitutional amendment providing for state-wide prohibition by a vote of 39 to 10. The measure now goes to the house.

UTILITIES COMMISSION SETS AT CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—The State Public Utilities Commission began today its session in this city to determine upon the valuation of the real estate of the Cincinnati Traction company.

ENGLAND ASKS AUSTRALIA TO PROVIDE MEAT

Sydney, N. S. W., Feb. 12—(via London)—The British government has requested all the Australian states to secure all meat available for export during the war, as large quantities will be necessary to meet the needs of the British army. France also will require a considerable supply. The commonwealth parliament has unanimously passed a bill authorizing the measures necessary to this end.

APPROPRIATIONS MONDAY

Columbus, Feb. 12—The appropriations bill was not ready for introduction in the house today but Chairman Reighard of the house finance committee said it would be presented without fail Monday evening.

SEND MORE NURSES

Washington, Feb. 12.—The American Red Cross society last night authorized the offer of an additional hospital unit for service in France to care for wounded soldiers.

SITUATION IN CARPATHIANS FAVORS THE CZAR'S TROOPS

Paris, Feb. 12—An official statement given out at the war office today follows:

"The failure of recent attacks by the Germans in Poland appears to be completed. The loss of the Germans are unprecedented. It is reported that they exceed forty thousand dead."

London, Feb. 12.—The Russian incursion into East Prussia appears, judging from dispatches reaching London, likely to be as short lived as were the previous Russian raids into this same district. Germany's superb equipment and strategic railways in this territory have enabled her within a few days to throw immense bodies of troops against the invaders.

In the present case the German soldiers appear to have been rushed into East Prussia from both Poland and interior points.

In the Carpathians the situation looks favorable to the Russians, who are pressing against

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MAN AND WIFE MURDERED

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 12—Jacob Vogel, former president of the Citizens' bank at Fruitville and his wife were found murdered today in their home at Fruitville, a suburb. They had been beaten to death by burglars, who first trussed them up with ropes and Mrs. Vogel's apron string.

AUTHOR-EDITOR DIES

Amesbury, Mass., Feb. 12.—Samuel T. Pickard, biographer and literary executor of John Greenleaf Whittier, the poet, died at the Whittier homestead today, aged 87 years. His wife, who was a niece of a poet, died several years ago. Mr. Pickard was formerly owner and editor of the Portland Transcript.

I see by th' papers that both sides in th' European scrap are getting ready t' resume th' offensive and break through th' other's line t' victory. Not that th' statement is anything like new—I've seen it before some dozen or so times and nothin' come of it yet. Every time I see it again I perk up my ears and listen for somethin' t' happen. I ain't much for war but since it seems we're gotta have 'em I say let's have 'em over with as soon as possible, so everybody can get back t' work at somethin' worth while. Here's th' weather.

Ohio—Cloudy tonight and Saturday probably rain, somewhat colder in north portion.

Kentucky—Rain tonight and probably Saturday.

West Virginia—Cloudy with probably rain tonight and Saturday.

20 Per Cent Off **Inventory Sale!** 20 Per Cent Off

After taking an inventory we find we have too much stock on hand. It is necessary to clean our shelves of this surplus stock in order to make room for incoming spring goods.

All New Goods! Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits! All New Goods!

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OBITUARY

William Zala Martin

Death closed the earthly career of one of Portsmouth's life-long residents and old rivermen when William Zain Martin, 65, breathed his last at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nettie Bihlman, of 1405 Eleventh street, Thursday evening at 9:50 o'clock. His death was due to paralysis, with which he was stricken seventeen months ago while in the employ of the city water works department.

During the past few weeks his condition had become more grave and his death, while a severe shock to his relatives and friends, was not unexpected. One week ago, while the Ohio river was flooding his old home at Mill and Waller streets, he was removed to his daughter's home on Eleventh street, where the final summons came.

Mr. Martin was born back of Fullerton, Ky., sixty-five years ago, and was brought to this city by his parents when he was but two years old. He has resided here ever since, having occupied his late residence on Mill street for the past thirty-five years. He was an old river man, having been employed in his younger days as a boat builder and later as sawmill man.

In 1872 he was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Davis Watson, who with five children, survive him: Mrs. Frank Berry, of Front street; Mrs. Nettie Bihlman, of Eleventh street; Mrs. Charles Gilmore, of Twelfth street; Charles Martin, of Twelfth street; and William Martin, of Jackson street. Fifteen grand-children and two great grandchildren also mourn his loss, in addition to two brothers, Lorena Martin, of Columbus, and Charles Martin, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Jones, of Philadelphia.

The deceased was a member of the First Christian church of this city, and a devout attendant and believer in the doctrines of the church. He was devoted to his family, and his greatest joy was great grand-children, whom he loved dearly. All of the children were at his bedside when the end came.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon, at 3:30, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bihlman of Eleventh street. In the absence of the pastor of the First Christian church, Rev. E. B. Hamilton, pastor of the Grandview avenue Christian church, will have charge of the services. Interment will be in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Charles Flowers

With a smile on her face, a prayer on her lips, and surrounded by her loved ones, Mrs. Charles Flowers, aged 30 years, wife of a well-known police officer, peacefully passed away at the family home, 1715 Eighth street, Thursday night.

Just shortly before she lapsed into an unconscious state, Mrs. Flowers had summoned the husband and children to her bedside and urged them to lead upright lives so that all might be reunited in Heaven. She sang several of her favorite hymns and then seemed to welcome the end, which she knew was at hand.

Mrs. Flowers had been suffering with stomach trouble for over a year, but had been bedfast only a short time. Her maiden name was Ella Buckley, and she was a daughter of the late Fred Buckley. She was a good Christian woman, dutiful wife, devoted mother and kind neighbor. Besides her husband she leaves three children: Leslie, aged 18 years; Ethel, aged 15; and Garnet, aged 12. She is also survived by her aged and widowed mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Buckley, one sister, Mrs. Grant Goings, and three brothers: Daniel Buckley, of this city; John Buckley, of Fullerton, Ky.; and George Buckley, of Goshen, Ind.

Mrs. Helen Mickels

After a five months' illness with complications, death at 5:30 Thursday evening ended the suffering of Mrs. Helen Mickels, wife of William Mickels. Mrs. Mickels made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Charles G. Johnson, of 1606 Eighth street. She underwent a change for the worse several days ago and since that time she had been in a critical condition.

Mrs. Mickels was 52 years old and in addition to her husband she leaves one son and one daughter, Henry Mickels, of Waverly, and Mrs. Charles G. Johnson, of this city. Mrs. Mickels also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Donna Hatton, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Lou Billups, of Ft. Gay, and Capt. R. S. Strother, of Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.

The funeral services will be conducted from Mrs. Johnson's home Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, by Rev. C. Lloyd Streeker, pastor of Trinity church. The body will be shipped to Prichard, W. Va., where the interment will be made.

To Re-Inter Body

A. W. Thomson is arranging for the removal of the remains of his late brother James Thomson from Siloam to Greenlawn cemetery. The brother died two years ago.

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STRENGTH

The lives of great men all remind us that no day is too short to gain strength from the lessons they teach. Lincoln's rugged character was a very Gibraltar of Strength in shaping his wondrous virile power to do and dare.

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WHEELER'S MILL

Walter Poriell butchered a fine porker Monday.

Frank McClintick and wife were shopping in Portsmouth Saturday.

The stork visited Frank Knore's home Ground Hog day and left twin girls.

I think such a set of commissioners as we have got ought to be turned off and a new set hired on account of the Spider Fill. It needs a new bridge in there. They can build one for less money than the way they are doing.

Blaine Diever and brother, Walter, were at Wheeler's Mill Monday getting feed ground.

The water got high enough last week to drive several New Boston families out of their homes.

Henry Conger will soon move to New Boston, where he will take care of the park. Mr. Osmyer will occupy the house that Conger will move out of, owned by Wiley Rigrish.

FRENCH WAR STATEMENT

Paris, Feb. 12. (2:55 p. m.)—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of the war which reads as follows:

"Between the Sea and the Somme yesterday saw artillery fighting. To the south of La Boisselle the enemy exploded a mine at the end of one of our trenches. We, however, maintained our position.

"From the Somme to the Argonne has been reported nothing more than the bombardment of Tracy-Le-Mont by the enemy and the counter attack of our artillery in the sector of Rheims and Soissons.

"In the Woevre yesterday witnessed a fairly spirited cannonading on the part of the Germans in front of Rambucourt in the forest of La Haselle. We bombarded the railroad stations at Thiaucourt and Arnaville."

SOCIAL NEWS

Charles Spencer was a business visitor in Cincinnati yesterday.

Mrs. Henry T. Brannon entertained the Bridge Club this afternoon, when Mrs. J. L. Watkins and Mrs. J. H. Varner played in the places of the absent members.

The turkey supper served last evening at the First Presbyterian church was a decided success. The dining-room was beautifully adorned with the exquisite ferns of the janitor, Peter George. Nearly $75 will be realized from the supper.

The Board of Managers of the Home for Aged Women will meet Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Anne Reed, on Second street.

The mass meeting at the Second Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon will begin promptly at 2 o'clock, instead of 2:30. The change is made so that Miss Schultz, of Philadelphia, may be able to follow this meeting with a talk at the Y. W. C. A., which begins at 3:30. Everyone welcome at these two very interesting meetings. There will be no collection.

Mrs. Martha Poffenberger dacobs is ill with pneumonia at her home in Columbus.

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BIRTHS

The stork Thursday night visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, of Grandview avenue, and left them a fine little son.

A fine little son was born Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ackinson of Vinton avenue. Mr. Ackinson is a well known N. & W. engineer.

The baby daughter which arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Murphy, 713 Ninth street, Thursday morning, at 2 o'clock, has been named Doris Elizabeth. She weighs 12 pounds.

A fine 9 1-2 pound boy, who was born to Mr and Mrs. Fred Haffner, of Eighth street, February 4th, has been named Robert Frederick. This is their second child. The other is a girl.

A son was born Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. James Holden, of the North End. Mr. Holden is employed by the Excelsior Shoe Company.

ARION

Rev. Jasepr Stephens delivered a fine sermon at the Free Will Baptist church at this place Sunday night. Quite a large crowd attended.

J. S. Deaner made a business trip to Portsmouth, Tuesday.

Leo Jewett, of Gandersville, passed through our community Tuesday, moving his brother-in-law, Mr. Webb, to McDermott.

John Hockaden has been hauling lumber the past few days to complete the new house which has begun to make its appearance.

Mr. Walter Pollock, of Mt. Joy, has been a recent caller on Pleasant Hill friends.

Blythe and David Knittel were seen hauling their tobacco to market, Monday.

Mr. Henry V. Williams has been called to his place of employment by Waller Bros., of McDermott.

Dolly Lutz, who has been an invalid for twelve weeks, is no better.

Mrs. Edith Williams' and Miss Sylvia Lutz were calling on Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, Monday.

Oscar Cooper and Fee Singer, of near Henley, were at church Sunday night, also Mr. C. F. Monroe and his friend, Mr. Hugh Young, of McDermott.

Mr. Frank Carpenter, of McDermott, was a Pleasant Hill visitor Sunday.

DUCK RUN

Preston Vandivort made a business trip to Portsmouth, Saturday.

Quite a large crowd attended church at Saintsville, Sunday.

Delmar Jones made another trip out on the hill Sunday night.

Miss Edith Duncan visited friends and relatives on Duck Run last week.

Delmar Jones and Earl Schallenger, of McDermott, spent a few days last week with their uncle, Mr. Jeff Pollock, of Pleasant Hill.

There are rumors of a wedding in Saintsville ere long.

Misses Wilma McDaniel and Phoebe Throckmorton will spend Saturday and Sunday with friends at Nauvoo.

Rev. Stevens addressed quite a large crowd at Pleasant Hill Sunday night.

There was a crowd at Deed Allen's Saturday night, and a couple of the boys took Deed's lantern and a sack and started to Burgraff's for some apples. The rest stayed at Allen's till midnight waiting for them to come back, but they failed to come. The worst part of it was, one of the fellows lost his girl.

HOME WAS ROBBED

Mrs. Pearl Fisher, wife of Robt. Fisher, a brickworker, reported to the police Friday afternoon that while she was absent a few minutes sneak thieves had ransacked her home at No. 2302 Ninth street. Chief McCarty and Officer Moore hurried to the scene to investigate.

Search of the interior of the house revealed but six cents taken. The interior of the house was in a state of disorder, everything being thrown in confusion on the floor. The muddy tracks of a man and a pint bottle of whiskey, partly full, were the only things found by the police to form a clue. Valuable jewelry was left undisturbed.

AN ATTRACTIVE SKIING COSTUME

This charming miss is wearing the latest thing in the way of a skiing costume—a dark red melton coat, with wide belt and trousers to match, and high moosehide lace moccasins.

HAVERHILL

Miss Mae Blair spent several days with her cousin, Mrs. Howard Compton, of Ironton, who has been quite ill with a severe cold.

Rev. Walker and wife returned to their home Saturday, accompanied by their sister and children, who came for a visit.

Mr. Lavinder and wife, who were recently married, are moving into the cottage of Miss Ida Brush, at Haverhill.

Mrs. Annie Collins and Mrs. Mary Austin made their weekly trip to Ironton on the train Saturday, owing to high water.

Rev. Walker began the protracted meetings at the Haverhill church Monday night.

James Collins has recently been elected auditor of Kenova, W. Va. He and wife and baby are coming Sunday to spend the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Trumbo are in Cincinnati this week. Mrs. Trumbo is visiting, while Mr. Trumbo sits on the grand jury.

Mustarine Conquers Sore Throat and Chest Colds

Just Rub it On and Away Goes Lumbago, Neuralgia, Lame Back or Soreness. Will Not Blister

Go to any live druggist today, lay down 25 cents; say: "I want a box of BEGY'S MUSTARINE", and stop worrying about aches and pains.

Rub it on tonight and you won't have any chest cold in the morning. It stops coughs the same way, and sore throat, stiff neck, pleurisy and tonsilitis. It relieves croup speedily and draws out inflammation anywhere.

It drives away rheumatic pains, relieves neuritis, stops lumbago almost instantly and quickly reduces swollen joints and muscles.

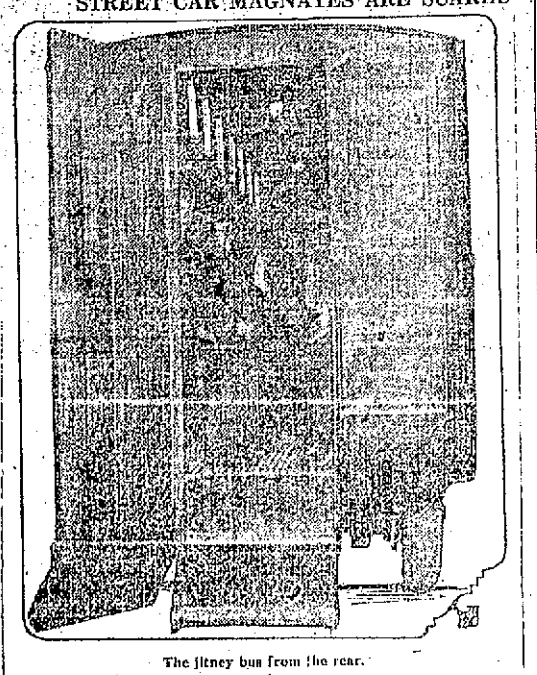
Money back if BEGY'S MUSTARINE isn't the best remedy you ever used to immediately banish headache, earache, toothache and neuralgia.

Splendid for lame back, sprains, bruises, sore muscles, chilblains, callouses, bunions, frosted feet and to turn cold feet into warm ones. Be sure it's BEGY'S MUSTARINE in the yellow box. It's the original mustard preparation and a box is equal to fifty mustard poultices. Wurster Bros. can supply you.

BRITISH AIR SHIPS MAKE RAID

London, Feb. 12.—Official information bureau today issued the following statement: 34 naval aeroplanes raided Bruges, Zeebruggee, Ostend, and Blankenberghe all in Belgium. Claude Grahame White fell. He was rescued.

JITNEY BUS WAVE SWEEPS COUNTRY; STREET CAR MAGNATES ARE SCARED



The jitney bus from the rear.

Sweeping the country from the Pacific coast eastward is the "jitney" bus, the little rival of the street cars, and so sudden and extensive is its entry into the passenger-carrying trafficof the cities that the street car magnates are fairly dazed. The Los Angeles Electric Railway is losing $2,000 a day.

LILY, OHIO.

Rev. Kelley will conduct services at Union church Saturday and Sunday. There will be baptism Sunday morning.

Mrs. Kendall Jenkins, who has been very sick, is improving.

Mrs. Ella Hughes, of Portsmouth, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents of this place.

Thelma Small, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Campbell, who has been seriously sick, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper and son, Forest, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lauderback.

Mr. Perry Lauderback, who has been very sick, is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jenkins attended the baptizing at Chaffin's Mill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner, of Wait's, were visiting relatives in Portsmouth Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. John Yeley and Mr. Kendall Jenkins spent Monday with the former's father, Mr. Ben Yeley, of Wait's.

Mr. Dan Cottle, Mrs. Eliza Dunn and daughter, Carrie, and Miss Gheinhammer all spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hartley.

Earl Baer, of Sciotoville, spent Monday with his parents of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Buckles and Mrs. Price, of Sciotoville, were called home Sunday on account of the illness of their father, Mr. Perry Lauderback.

Mrs. Lewis White was shopping in Portsmouth, Tuesday.

Mr. Dudley Ashley attended the baptizing at Chaffin Mill Sunday.

Miss Zelia Fain and Mr. Clarence Schwamberger spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall.

GOOSE CREEK

It was a jolly group of young folks that spent an enjoyable evening last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schneider, near Powellsville. The time was spent in dancing and card games, and it is needless to say a good all round time was had. Refreshments preceded their departure, which was not before the wee hours of the morning, all wishing to meet soon at an equally enjoyable occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rase, of Van Wert, O., are at present visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rase, of Pine Creek.

The public sale held last Thursday at the Wm. Rase farm-place was largely attended, and good prices were realized. Mr. and Mrs. Rase will move to Sciotoville early in the spring, where they will make their future home.

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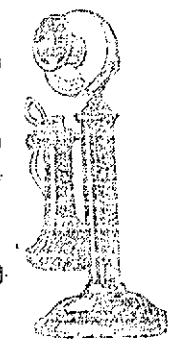

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Ladies' 5c Kerchiefs 1c
Men's Grey $1.25 Wool Underwear 69c
Men's $1.50 Dress Shirts 79c
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SALARY REDUCTION BILL GOES THROUGH THE HOUSE; OTHERS ARE CONSIDERED

Columbus, Feb. 12—A threatened all day and possibly all night session of the house of representatives was avoided today by agreement of Democratic members not to insist on roll call on a motion to suspend rules to secure final action on the Howard senate bill, reducing the salary of the superintendent of insurance from $6000 to $1500. The bill then was passed by a vote of 82 to 3.

The house had been in session for three hours without transacting any business while a monotonous call of the house was in progress. Many Democrats and a few Republicans had left for their homes last evening, abandoning the first Friday morning session of the year. Telegrams and long distance messages were sent to absent members over the state, ordering them to take the first trains for Columbus, in anticipation of a protracted session.

Would Cut Pay Of Legislator In Half

Representative Black, of Wyandot, Democrat, proposed in a bill introduced today to effect further economy by cutting in half the pay of legislators. They now receive $1,000 a year for their two year term. He would have them receive only $1,000 for the year of the regular session and $10 a day for special sessions.

The action of the Democrats in the house today was interpreted by legislative observers to indicate that the minority party had abandoned its policy of fighting the salary reduction program of the Republicans. Democratic senators yesterday voted against the Howard bill, which passed despite them, and succeeded in preventing attachment of the emergency clause.

It is said Democratic senate leaders agreed today to the attachment of an emergency clause to the bill when it was referred back to that house Monday. If this is done, the house also will vote in the emergency clause and the reduction of the insurance superintendent's salary will become effective before Judge Frank Taggart, of Wooster, newly appointed to that place, takes office. He had expected to do so Monday but probably will not go in until Tuesday.

Additional Reductions Are Provided For

Additional reductions of state officials' salaries were proposed in another bill introduced today by Senator Howard. This measure provides for cutting the pay of the four members of the board of administration from $5,000 a year to $4,000; three state tax commissioners from $5,000 to $4,000; three public utilities commissioners from $6,000 to $4,500; supreme court reporter from $4,000 to $3,000, and fiscal supervisor of the state board of administration from $4,000 to $3,000. The bill also provides for abolition of the office of secretary of the board of administration, who now receives $3,000. His duties would be performed by a member of the commission, according to the new Howard bill. One of the three positions of deputies in the bureau of inspection and supervision of public offices is abolished with a saving of $2,500 which each of the three now receive.

GERMANS IN EAST

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the Austrian defenses at three of the most important mountain passes and this in spite of the difficulties interposed by snow blocked roads. Berlin admits that the Russians have entered Hungarian territory at several points in the Carpathian district, but declares these positions were most dearly bought in view of the terrible casualties inflicted by Australian artillery and machine guns on the Russian massed formations.

In Russian Poland the Germans hold the belief that Russia is preparing to fall back to her second line and the Russian trench defenses in that region will be assisted by the flooding of great sections of the intervening country.

More Stringent Measures Against German Trade

The London newspapers profess to believe that the German submarine attack on the British steamer Laertes flying the Dutch flag will precipitate more stringent measures against German trade which was promised by Premier Asquith in a speech delivered yesterday in the house of commons. The Daily Mail says it believes the government will announce a complete blockade of the German coast, as a result of which all goods to Germany by sea will be liable to seizure.

A wireless dispatch from Berlin reports that an aeroplane, presumably French, has dropped bombs in the harbor of Flushing, which is Dutch territory, but no news of such an occurrence has been received from Holland.

The Balkan states evidently are furthering their endeavors to reach an amicable settlement of their disagreements before entering the conflict. In this adjustment it is presumed that Bulgaria will get material territorial concessions from both Serbia and Rumania.

WASHINGTON AWAITS

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spread comment among officials, members of congress and diplomatists, most of whom regard them as most emphatic expression from the Washington government on the conduct of belligerents during the present war and presaging, perhaps, further representations on what seem to be American government violations of the rules of warfare.

London Newspapers Chary on Comment

London, Feb. 12.—The texts of the American notes to Germany and Great Britain concerning the possible sinking of American ships and use of the American flag have not yet reached the London papers which consequently are chary of editorial comment.

The Pall Mall Gazette, however, says it will not be difficult to satisfy the United States that in using the American flag to defeat the intention of German warships to torpedo merchantmen without warning Great Britain "is acting not only in the national interests but in the interest of humanity and civilization. There would be no danger of American ships being sunk if the German craft behave as every usage of war dictates and board the ships they stop for an examination of their papers."

The Pall Mall Gazette calls attention to the fact that while the American government is making representations concerning the use of the Stars and Stripes, American passengers are petitioning the Cunard line to sail under the American flag so that they may enjoy its protection.

Fannie Crosby Dies

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 12—Fannie Crosby, well known hymn writer, died at her home, in the 95th year.

Her death was not unexpected as her health had been failing for some time. Shortly before the end she became unconscious and remained in that state until death. At her bedside were her niece, Mrs. Henry D. Booth and other members of the family with whom she long had made her home.

In spite of feeble health, especially within the past few months, Miss Crosby continued writing hymns up to a short time before her death.

MINES RESUMED

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 12.—Operations in the mines of New Foundland, which were practically suspended at the outbreak of the war have been partly resumed.

THREE NATIONS TAKE STEPS TO PUT END TO TRADE IN OPIUM

The Hague, Feb. 12.—(Via London)—The protocol of the anti-opium convention of 1912, which aims at the suppression of the opium traffic and international traffic in cocaine and other noxious and habit forming drugs, was signed today at The Hague by Henry Vandyke, the American minister to The Netherlands; Tuing Tsing Fou, the Chinese minister and M. Loudon, the Netherlands minister of foreign affairs.

The affixing of their signatures to the protocol by these three diplomats put the convention into immediate force for the signatory countries, which comprise approximately 175,000,000 inhabitants in China with an estimated population of 330,000,000 the United States 100,000,000 and the Netherlands and her dependencies 45,000. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. Vandyke said in referring to the convention, the terrible fact that this enormous war is in progress should not make civilized nations ignore things which operate for the welfare of mankind. The opium convention aims at putting a stop to the vicious trade in opium as an intoxicant and imposing the strictest regulations on the legitimate commerce in opium for purely medical purposes.

"I hope that the three nations which have taken first definite steps in this direction soon will be followed by many others. It is a great satisfaction that China which has suffered most from the opium vice has taken this step side by side with the United States which has been the foremost nation in adopting legislation against this vicious trade and that Holland, with her immense possessions in the East Indies, should take the same stand."

The international opium association held a series of meetings at The Hague in June of last year some 44 nations being represented. Before adjourning the conference requested Foreign Minister Loudon to obtain ratifications from the adhering powers.

Germans Warned Not To Insult Americans

Berlin (via London) Feb. 12—An appeal to its readers not to allow hatred for Great Britain to lead them to insult English speaking people in the streets is printed by the Lokal Anzeiger. The paper says it may be assumed in the great majority of such cases that the speakers are Americans. It reminds its readers that diplomatic representatives of the United States have assumed the protection of Germans in lands with which that country is at war.

Big Advance In The Price Of Eye Glasses

New York, Feb. 12.—The greatest advance in price of eye glasses and spectacles ever made at one time, it is said, is announced in price lists issued today by manufacturers. The amount of the increase, which is on lenses, is estimated at from 25 to 50 per cent. About 10,000,000 people in the United States use glasses.

In the absence of an explanation by the manufacturers for the advances, local wholesalers state that the war is the chief cause. Opticians cite changes in the labor laws, manufacturers being forced to employ men for work formerly done by girls. The opticians also assert that fashions in eye glasses, which recently declared that larger lenses shall be worn, are responsible for increased cost of manufacture.

PORTUGAL PREPARED TO ASSIST ALLIES

Lisbon, (via Paris) Feb. 12—That the government of Portugal has resolved to carry out the policy decided upon by congress on Aug. 8 and Nov. 23, which the assertion made yesterday by Foreign Minister Monteiro in a statement to the press regarding the international situation.

The decisions of congress referred to by Foreign Minister Monteiro were to the effect that Portugal should co-operate with the allies whenever that step seemed necessary. Portuguese troops have been operating against the Germans in Angola, Western Africa, for some time.

Portugal has been making military preparations most of the time since the war began, but uncertain internal political conditions are said to have interfered somewhat with these operations. A part of the army already has been mobilized and its strength is believed to be about 100,000 men. A second mobilization will bring this figure up to at least 240,000. The Portuguese navy has in commission five protected cruisers, three destroyers, four torpedo boats and three submarines.

GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS IS POPULAR WITH MEN

Berlin, Feb. 12.—(Via London)—The National Zeitung has published a dispatch from a correspondent on the Russian border who says the Russians are employing thousands of laborers to strengthen their second line of defense. At the fortress of Ivangord, Brest-Litovsk and Kovno men are working day and night. At Brest-Litovsk arrangements have been made to flood the entire district and for a distance of 70 miles the territory around the fortresses has been barred to ordinary travel. Great stores of ammunition and provisions are being laid in. These preparations, the correspondent of the National Zeitung goes on to say, make the inhabitants fear that the Russians soon will be seen falling back.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief in the field, and General Russky, enjoy the fullest confidence of the people, the correspondent continues. The grand duke is just now at the height of his power and he is very popular with the Russian soldiers.

EXPLOSION IN AMMUNITION FACTORY

Stockholm, Feb. 12 (via London).—An ammunition factory outside of Stockholm was the scene last night of an explosion which resulted in the death of five persons and the destruction of a considerable supply of ammunition. The loss, however, will have comparatively little effect on the supplies of the army and navy.

Regular steamship service in and out of Stockholm is to be opened shortly. Ice breakers will be used to keep the harbor entrance clear.

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MR. SPRAGUE'S LETTER.

We are more than pleased to learn that Representative Sprague did not intend, by his vote, to convey the idea that he was opposed to the Workmen's Compensation law, but simply desired to give more time to the consideration of a measure that had been initiated by the liability insurance interests. The worst criticism then that can justifiably be made of Mr. Sprague is that, with the best intentions in the world, he went into the record in mighty bad company, for most of those voting as he did were counted upon to support the initiated bill to the last.

Mr. Sprague, as we pointed out once before, has a fine opportunity to make a name for himself in this legislature. He has the ability and the industry and the only thing that looms up to mar his prestige and standing, will be hooking-up with the wrong crowd. And unfortunately in every legislature there is a wrong crowd, a crowd that is found behind vicious legislation of varying character.

In the case of the Workmen's law, Mr. Sprague in the absence of definite information at first hand would, it seems to us, have done better to have followed the recommendation of the committee that had examined into the bill rather than have joined forces with the crowd that was opposing the action of the committee.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE RAILROADS.

A short time ago President Wilson clearly outlined his position and attitude as to the railway corporations of the country, doing so in a letter to Chairman Trumbull, of the board of directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad. The President shows his sympathy with legitimate railroad business and his desire to see railroad expension aided, rather than hampered by radical and unbusinesslike legislation. In his letter to Mr. Trumbull, the president had this to say:

"You asked me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative efforts or by the action wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so, because I think the need is very real.

"They are indispensable to our whole economic life, and railway securities are at the very heart of most investments, large and small, public and private, by individuals and by institutions.

"I am confident there will be an earnest and active co-operation in this matter, perhaps the one common interest of our whole industrial life.

"Undoubtedly men, both in and out of official position, will appreciate what is involved and lend their aid heartily wherever it is possible for them to lend it. But the emergency is in fact extraordinary, and where there is manifest common interest we ought all of us to speak out in its behalf, and I am glad to join you in calling attention to it. This is the time for all to stand together in united effort to comprehend every interest and serve and sustain it in every legitimate way."

Another thing about extending the flood wall is that it would give a lot of work to Portsmouth labor this coming summer. The city should also join the "Do It Now" campaign and thereby give double benefit to the city.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News)

A wise man is known by the company he avoids.

Better one boy in a school room than two in a pool room.

Give some people their pick and they'll proceed to pick flaws.

You can not help a woman's disposition by putting ruffles on her temper.

The day has passed when one can pretend to know things. People want to be shown.

It's surprising how many things you can find to criticize and how very few to commend.

Some men refuse to take physical exercise for their health because it doesn't come in bottles.

The truly dignified man is never ashamed to lay aside his dignity for the purpose of doing his duty as he sees it.

Young man, don't take a girl's hand in yours and tell her you could die for her unless you are willing to earn a living for her.

A POWERFUL SERMON.

The Gallipolis Tribune says that Peter Vinegar, of Danville, Va., was a powerful colored preacher in his day, and possessed the faculty of stirring the imagination of his congregations to a remarkable extent. On one occasion he did himself proud. The Danville Advocate says, he pushed his spectacles up to the top of his head, and remarked:

"My beloved bredren and sisteren, I take my tex' dis evenin' in dat portion uv de Scriptur' whar de 'Postle Paul pints his pistol at de 'Phesians, and wharr it says, 'Whar de lieh, scratches dar's de worm, 'ceptin' de case whar sinr previus hen hav bin dar.'" He then proceeded to tell his hearers what a horrible personal appearance the devil presented, with the following description: "His eyes look like two balls uv fire, his teef like two skinned saplins, his ears hang down like a 'baccer leaf, an' his bref smoke like a tar kittle." That night Peter made many converts.

Masons Will Have Big Time Tonight

Local Scottish Rite Masons and Knight Templars will be guests Friday evening of the Portsmouth Shrine Club, for whose entertainment a committee from the latter organization had arranged a program of unusual enjoyment. Many of the features of the entertainment are being kept secret and will not be made known until they are presented before the assembled guests.

The fifth and sixth floors of the Masonic Temple are in gala attire in preparation for the event, which promises to be one of the biggest affairs of the year in Masonic circles. A short musical and literary program will be given, and various diversions provided for the pleasure of the guests, who will include the wives and ladies of the members.

HOME BAKING SALES PLANNED

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Hutchins Street Baptist church met Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Cabiness, with 28 members and 7 children present. A crazy quilt was disposed of, netting $9. It was decided to hold a home-baking sale every Friday evening in the basement of the church.

After the business session refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Bruce, and sister, Mrs. F. L. Larcamp.

BOY'S PRANK MAY CAUSE HIS FATHER TO LOSE SIGHT OF EYE

Ironton, O., Feb. 12.—Herman Eaton, a prominent citizen of Proctorville, may lose the sight of his right eye as the result of some fun in which he, his little son, Robert Eaton, and a cousin, Mary Evelyn Eaton, indulged in, when the youngster struck his father in the eye with a poker. Mr. Eaton and the girl were playing. Mr. Eaton threatening to black the girl's eye with a poker, which he placed in the grate.

The little boy joined in the play and, it is said, grabbing the poker from the fire struck his father in the eye. Mr. Eaton has been under the care of a physician since the affair and it was stated yesterday he was still suffering great pain.

Going To Pittsburgh

Ralph Schoonover, who recently resigned as secretary of the Hear Engine company, expects to leave within a few days for Pittsburgh where he has secured a position.

Animal Jingles FOR LITTLE FOLKS

ALICE CREW GALL

MOTHER McGREW AND EMILY EEL

I'll tell you the story of Emily Eel
And when I am through I am sure you will feel
So sorry for Mother McGrew, you'll declare
That she did just right about Emily's hair.

Each morning the children of Mother McGrew
Had their hair brushed and combed, as all nice children do;
And none of them cried except Emily, and she
Had tantrums, and acted disgracefully.

She wouldn't stand still, but would hop all about
And scream, "You are trying to pull my hair out!"
And then she would cry just as loud as she could,
Till Mother McGrew felt like spanking her good.

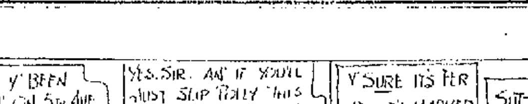
There wasn't a reason for her acting so,
For Mother McGrew didn't hurt her I know,
But she kept right on till she finally got
A good severe lesson, which helped her a lot.

One morning when she'd been unusually bad,
(I'd hate to say how many tantrums she'd had)
Old Mother McGrew exclaimed in despair,
"You do not deserve to have one single hair!"

And Miss Emily stopped crying just long enough,
To say, "Well I wish you would cut the old stuff."
And sure as you live old Mother McGrew
Said, "That is exactly what I'm going to do."

So she tapped her three times with magical stick,
And Emily's head became p-e-r-f-e-c-t-l-y s-l-i-c-k.
She felt awfully bad, when she looked in the glass,
And wished for her hair, but 'twas too late, alas!

And to this day you can't find an Eel anywhere,
In all this wide world, that has one smidge of hair!
For my part, I think it's a much safer plan
When our hair's being combed to stand still as we can.



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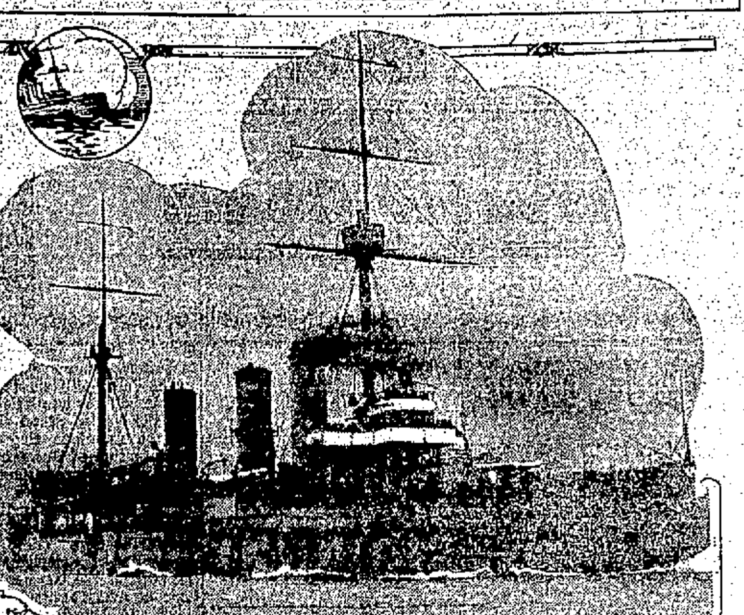

Japanese cruiser Asama, photographed on last visit to Pacific coast.

Was the Japanese cruiser Asama, reported last week as in great distress off the coast of Lower California, really wrecked? Admiral Howard, commander of the Pacific fleet, has reported that the commander of the Asama declined assistance from his flagship San Diego and the cruiser Raleigh, which were sent to the Asama's aid. The navy department is without information concerning the condition of the vessel.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

Lullaby—A Modern Version

Rock-a-by, baby, up on the bough,
You get your milk from a certified cow!
Before your eugenic young parents were wed
They had decided how you should be fed.

Hush-a-by, baby, on the tree-top,
If grandmother trots you, you tell her to stop.
Shun the trot-horse that grandfather rides—
It will work harm to your little insides.

Mamma's scientific—she knows all the laws—
She kisses her darling through carbolized gauze.
Rock-a-by, baby, don't wiggle and squirm,
Nothing is near you that looks like a germ.
—Exchange.

Heavy on the Education

Private tuition taught.—Ad of School at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Some Show, This

"Two Women" in three parts, is the attraction at a local movie house today.

The Village Cutup

Hoyt Lamb received a cut on the forehead in the post office Monday morning when Oscar Turnbow playfully tossed a good sized chunk of coal in his direction.—Hazel (Ky.) News.

Gee!

A naughty young chappie called Sis
Asked a sweet chorus girl for a kiss.
She replied, with a smile,
"I don't think it worth while
To forfeit complexion for bliss."

Teaching Shakespere Something

Members of the Shakespere Club spent a most enjoyable day in South Bend at the home of Mrs. L. M. Jones. A well written article on parcel post was read.—Miles (Ind.) Sun.

The Seven Ages of Names

First age (the new babe)—Ootsie, wootse, mamma's pet.
Second age (able to walk)—Snookums or Buster.
Third age (going to school)—According to his parents, Willie. According to the members of his gang, Bill, or Red.
Fourth age (engaged to be married)—Peaches.
Fifth age (a father)—Da, da.
Sixth age (well along in years)—A pioneer resident.
Last age—The late lamented.—Indianapolis Star.

Trimmed

He wrote a sonnet called "Her Hair",
And hopefully he shipped it;
And when the verses printed were,
An editor took up a pair
Of scissors long and clipped it.

No Hitching Allowed

An elderly farmer drove into town one day and hitched his team to a telegraph post. "Here," exclaimed the burly policeman, "you can't hitch there!" "Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, why have you got a sign up, "Fine for Hitching?"

Preaching For Cash

Shortly after the reconstruction period began, an old Southern planter met one of his negroes whom he had not seen since the latter's liberation, says Judge. "Well, well!" said the planter. "What are you doing now, Uncle Josh?" "I's a-preachin' of de Gospil." "What! You preaching?" "Yassah marster, I'se a-preachin'." "Well, well! Do you use notes?" "Nossuh. At de fust I use notes, but now I demands de cash."

"Um-m-m-m" Said the Silent Ten

Mrs. Linda Lockwood entertained the Silent Ten at her home on Tuesday evening with a taffy pull.—Traverse City Record-Eagle.

Po' Lil' Sheep

Mary had a little lamb
And found it very nice.
So pretty soon she craved the boon
Of just another slice.
—Grand Rapids Press.

Mary had a little lamb,
But Mary was no glutton,
So she invited all her friends
To have a slice of mutton.
—Akron Beacon-Journal.

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NOTICE
To All Gas Consumers

When using a gas range, if the flame blackens the utensil, it is because the burners need cleaning and adjusting. If the flame in the heating stove is yellow, it is due to the same cause.

If you are having any of these troubles, notify us, and we will have a man call and adjust your stove.

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Instant Relief When Nose and Head Are Clogged From a Cold. Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Vanishes.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

STOP THE CHILD'S COLDS THEY OFTEN RESULT SERIOUSLY

Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough are children's ailments which need immediate attention. The after-effects are often most serious. Don't take the risk—you don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery checks the Cold, soothes the Cough, allays the Inflammation, Kills the Germs and allows Nature to do her healing work. 50c at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today.

See the Reo Automobile at Stahler's. adv 10-3

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Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more.

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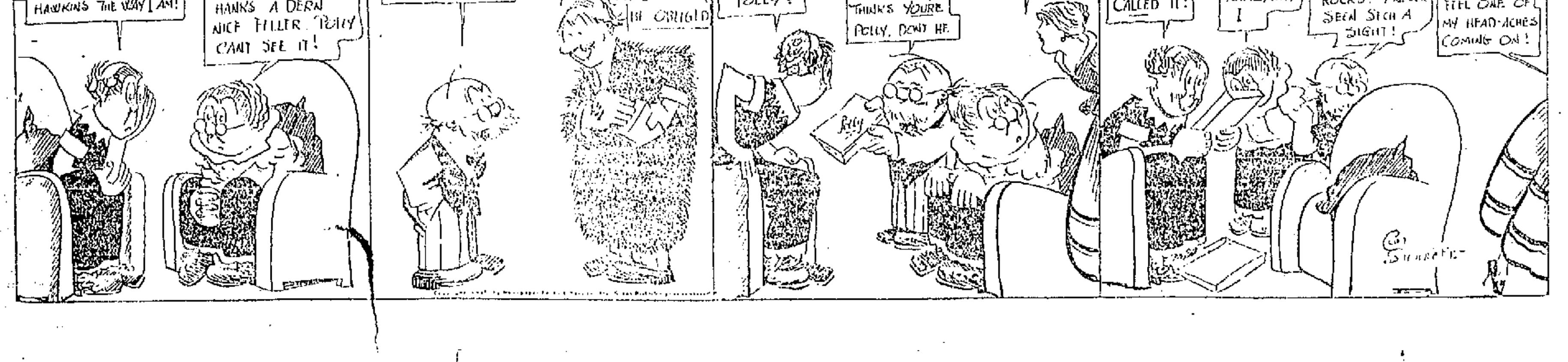

Eighty Per Cent

of the impressions on the brain are made through sense of sight—the other four senses producing but 20 per cent. This means that the value of that 80 per cent of impressions depends upon correct sight. Have you ever realized this? Four-fifths of your brain power, which means ability, success, happiness, depend upon your sight. Can you afford to neglect or jeopardize so vital a sense? Don't endanger your sight. If defective, consult an oculist—for glasses and the service that should go with them—consult me.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, February 11th. Work in the Fellowcraft degree.

WANTED

WANTED:—To rent, 4 or 5 room cottage, gas, centrally located. Address L. Coombs, general delivery. 11-3

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

NOTICE:—We do the best and cheapest upholstering and furniture repairing in the city. Give us a trial. D. De Berrienne, 523 2nd. Phone 1394 A. 4tf

NOTICE:—We will pack or store your furniture cheaper than any one else. Call us. 1394 A. 523 2nd. 4 tf

WANTED:—Boarders at St. Louis Hotel. 9-12

WANTED:—Good reliable girl for general housework, small family, good wages, references required. 813-815 Gallia. 12-2

LADIES sew at home; good pay. Send stamp. Work sent prepaid. King Mfg. Co., 1431 Broadway, New York City. 12-1

WANTED:—Man as partner for good outdoor business, good clean business. Apply at 1010 Gallia. Evans. 12-3

WANTED—Man and wife. Light housekeeping, new rooms, near post offfice. Phone 1053 A. 12tf

WANTED:—D. F. Creekbaum, of 1021 4th St. to call at the Sun theatre for free tickets to Saturday night's show. 12-1

NOTICE:—I will offer at public sale March 2nd, 1915, 77 acre farm in Vernon township, Scioto county, Ohio, in good condition with 2 barns, one house, 30 acres level, 1½ miles west of Audry Station on D., T. & I. Terms at sale. John Thieken, administrator, Wheelersburg, R. No. 2. 12-3d 3w

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. At 1905 20th St. 12-3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Good, gentle driving mare, harness, and buggy, 2142 9th. St. above Broadway. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

FOR SALE—Ordinary life insurance endowment, life income, joint life, corporate and term. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview avenue. Phone 1408 A. 5-25

DISSOLUTION SALE:—On account of dissolution of partnership we will sell all of our stock, merchandise and fixtures regardless of price at the Underselling store 172 Gallia avenue, New Boston, consisting of ladies' and gents' furnishings, shoes, notions and household goods. Warder and Riley. 10-3

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FOR SALE:—Machine shop; cheap. Phone 1387 Y. 11tf

FOR SALE:—2 passenger Ford runabout, a bargain. Phone 1342 Y. 11tf

FOR SALE:—All kinds of chickens. Phone 1671 X. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade 75 acre farm, Wheelersburg, O., much old fruit and 700 young orchard. Call or phone 244 A, Miller's Dry Goods Co., Residence 1115 Y. 10-3

FOR SALE:—Pool room in good location doing fine business, cheap if sold at once. 1015 11th. Phone 1199 Y. 5-7

FOR SALE:—105 acres improved ground, cheap for quick sale. Price $2,500.00. Edgar Oakes, Franklin Furnace, O. 9-4

FOR SALE:—Pool room, six tables, good location, cheap if sold at once. Inquire 721 Chillicothe. 9-6

FOR SALE:—Pure Italian olive oil, 1119 17th St. 3-12

FOR SALE:—A neat five room cottage, bath, cistern, cellar, barn, 1819 11th. Easy payments $3250.

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5 room cottage, bath, cistern, cellar barn, large lot at a bargain. 1534 11th. Phone 1499. H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Three fresh cows. John P. Miller, Wheelersburg, O. 10-3

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery, call George Abrams, A 1025. 16tf

FOR SALE:—Single comb white leghorns, eggs and day old chicks from prize winners, and the kind that lays. Henry Saunders, 1722 Baird. Phone 1610 X 2tf

FOR SALE:—Twenty good farms for sale or exchange for city property. Fifty-two head horses and mules for sale or exchange for thoroughbred dairy cows. Address W. E. Tripp, South Webster, Ohio. 29-30

FOR SALE:—Good, well improved farm of 50 acres, with five room house, good barn and other outbuildings in French Grant, 1 mile from Haverhill Station, good water and much fruit, for price and terms see Frank L. Sikes, Sciotoville, O. Both phones. 13tf

FOR SALE:—Restaurant and hotel, good location, every convenience; cheap, if sold at once. 1121 11th. Phone Y 1199. 5-7

FOR SALE:—The Kennedy farm on Dogwood Ridge, one mile east of Wheelersburg. One of the best farms in Scioto county. Fertile soil, well drained, healthful location, good water, never failing. Terms easy. Must sell to settle estate. See or address Blaine Kennedy, Wheelersburg, O. 23-3sat 3 fri

FOR SALE:—Horse, buggy and harness, 1714 17th St. Phone 1323 Y. 12-3

FOR SALE

6 room cottage 17th St., bath reception hall, cabinet mantels, hardwood floor, front and back porch. $800 down, balance in building and loan. $3600,

P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408 A. adv

FOR SALE:—Flowers, plants or cut blooms. Mrs. J. Holzman, 631 9th St. 12-2

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FOR RENT:—4 room house, $5.50 per month. Phone 193 B 11tf

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FOR RENT:—Reasonable two rooms furnished for light housekeeping, call evenings 1117 4th St. 11-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms with all conveniences, onehalf square from car line. 725 8th street. 28-tf

FOR RENT:—Room with board. Phone X 1079. 8tf

FOR RENT—8 room cottage near post office, 642 6th. Above 1913 flood. Modern in every respect. Inquire 739 6th. Phone 1053 A. 1tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, all conveniences. 529 3rd St. 4tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 1012 3rd. 9tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house 730 8th. Inquire 717 8th. 23tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms, $12 and $10. 1106 4th. St. 9tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room, bath and modern conveniences, 614 Washington. 10tf

FOR RENT:—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, with or without board, 830 Chillicothe. 10-3

FOR RENT:—Two unfurnished rooms, all conveniences, 831 8th, near Chillicothe, reference required. 12-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished front rooms for light housekeeping modern conveniences, 625 6th. 12-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1118 Gallia. 12-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs, 421 Bond. 12-3

FOR RENT:—Suite of rooms, newly furnished for housekeeping in modern house centrally located. No other roomers; reasonable to right parties. Phone 820 A. 12-2

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage on Gallia St., near Mabert Road; water in pantry and gas. Inquire 2232 5th. Phone 2402 R. 12-3

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage No 12 Union. 12-3

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage with basement, with large garden, South Portsmouth. Call 2000 Y. 12-3

FOR RENT:—Nice furnished front room, with all modern conveniences. Phone 848. 618 Washington. 12tf

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GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE BOYS TALE

Walter Taylor, the fourteen-year-old Columbus youth, who it is claimed, was maltreated in this city by James O'Connor, a telephone employee, Thursday night, is now in the custody of the juvenile court of this county.

Judge Beatty has communicated with his father, Frank Taylor, of Columbus, to ascertain the parent's wishes regarding his child. The lad claims that he left home because he could not get along with his step-mother.

O'Connor's alleged crime is to be investigated by the grand jury, now in session, it was announced Friday.

WILL TAKE VACATION

F. B. Rawsch, local agent and distributor for Swift & Co., is preparing to take an extended vacation. A Mr. Kennedy arrived here Friday to relieve him.

Amalgamated Copper, 55¼.
American Beet Sugar, 41¼.
American Cotton Oil, 48.
American Smelting & Refining. 66½.
American Sugar Refining, 65½.
American Telephone and Telegraph, 120¾.
Anaconda Mining Co., 27⅝.
Atchison, 95½.
Atlantic Coast Line, 104¼.
Baltimore & Ohio, 70.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 88.
Canadian Pacific, 159.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 112¾.
Chicago & North Western, 123.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, 87¾.
Colorado Fuel & Iron, 25⅝.
Colorado & Southern, 25½.

FOR RENT:—3 rooms in rear of 1019 Chillicothe, cheap. Dr. Howard Sellards, 819 Offnere. 11-3

FOR RENT:—Unfurnished flat upstairs with water and gas Apply 503 Offnere. 11tf

FOR RENT:—Houses, furnished rooms and farms. Call at 1015 3rd St. Phone 1503 Y. 11-2

FOR RENT:—60 acre farm four miles from city. W. L. Baker, Phone 172 X. 10-4

FOR RENT:—75 acre farm at Wheelersburg, O. Much fruit, wheat and onions out. Call or phone 244 A. Miller's Dry Goods Co. Residence 1115 Y. 10-3

FOR RENT:—5 room house, reception hall and bath, 1513 5th Inquire at 1526 5th or Phone 533 B. 10tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern conveniences on main car line. Phone 730 B. 10tf

FOR RENT:—Three room flat at No. 823 Gallia St. 10-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. Conveniences. 831 8th. 29-tf

FOR RENT:—3 room upstairs flat 6th and Brown. Phone 717. 4tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 1488. 12tf

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Now is the time to buy real estate. More real bargains on the market at the present time than there has been in the past 10 years. We can supply your wants, be it for a home or investment.

Good 5-room cottage, Ninth street, near Chillicothe; water, gas, cistern, stable; street assessments all paid; easy terms $1600

Large 4-room house Seventh street, near Brown; water, gas, open stairway, 2 mantels, large front porch; lot 35 ft front; street assessments all paid; $300 cash, balance as rent $2300

One of the best built cottages on the hill, Grant near Mound; bath, pantry, reception hall, gas and electric fixtures, hard-wood floors, floored attic, large basement; house is storm sheeted; easy terms $3200

Large 7-room cottage, Grandview avenue, near Grant; bath, pantry, 2 fine cabinet mantels, large front porch, lot 35 ft. front; a bargain, for $2900

Nice 5-room cottage Grandview avenue, bath, pantry, front and rear porch; a nice home $2500

Five-room cottage, Summit street, near Grant, bath, front and rear porch $2400

Large new 7-room house Eighteenth street, near Waller; bath, pantry, reception hall, front and rear porch, gas and electric fixtures, hard-wood floors and finish; house is storm-sheeted. Small payment down, balance as rent.

Fine building lots on Boulevard, near paved pike, 40x184, lay fine for chickens or garden. Would trade for city property.

Fine building lots at Wheelersburg. Traction line will go through this addition. Five minutes' walk from schools and churches; near N. & W. station. Gas, good water, many fine homes already built around this addition. You can double your money in less than 2 years. Lots 60x120. Easy terms .... $250 to $300

We have houses and lots in all parts of the city; cash or easy terms. Suburban homes and lots.

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The Markets

Editor's Note: No New York stocks or Chicago grain markets, exchanges being closed on Lincoln's birthday anniversary, a legal holiday.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Feb. 12.—Eggs—fresh gathered firsts, cases included 27c; do seconds 24c; refrigerator extras 25c; do firsts 23c.

Potatoes—choice white stock from store 48@50c.

CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 12—Butter; lower; creamery, 24c to 30½c.

Eggs; lower; receipts, 7,291 cases; at mark cases included 20c to 23c; ordinary firsts, 21½c to 22c; firsts, 23¾c to 23c.

Potatoes; unchanged; receipts, 26 cars.

Poultry: alive lower; springs, 14c; fowls, 13½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 150; market steady.

Veals—Receipts 400; market active; $4.00@13.25.

Hogs—Receipts 400; market active; heavy $7.00@7.15; mixed $7.15; yorkers $7.15@7.25; pigs $6.75@7.25; roughs $5.90@6.00; stags $5.00@5.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 8,000; sheep, market active; lambs slow; lambs $5.00@8.75; yearlings $5.00@8.75; yearlins $5.00@7.75; wethers $7.00@7.25; ewes $3.50@6.75; sheep mixed $6.75@7.00.

CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Hogs—Receipts 22,000; strong; bulk $6.60@6.75; light $6.50@6.80; mixed $6.50@6.80; heavy $6.40@6.72½; rough $6.40@6.50; pigs $5.25@6.70.

Cattle—Receipts 1,000; market firm; native steers $5.55@8.70; western $4.85@7.75; cows and heifers $3.25@7.75; calves $7.00@10.25.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000; market steady; sheep $.25@7.00; yearlings $7.20@7.75; lambs $6.75@8.25.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Feb. 12—Cattle; receipts 100; steady; prices unchanged.

Calves; receipts, 75; steady; prices unchanged.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,000; steady; prices unchanged.

Hogs: receipts, 2500; 5 to 10 higher; yorkers, light yorkers, mediums, $7.00; heavies, $6.55; pigs, $6.75; roughs, $5.65; stags, $5.00.

WOOL MARKET

Boston, Mass., Feb. 12—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

"Since the announcement Feb. 5 that the wool embargo had been replaced absolutely in Australia and that no shipments would be allowed except where permits had been issued prior to that date, wool prices have been climbing upward steadily and rapidly. Reports that the embargo had been lifted again early this week, have been denied.

"Transactions have included almost every grade and class of wool available in the market. Scoured wools of all kinds have been especially active, particularly medium and low pulled wools."

LOST

LOST:—Hand embroidered pillow case. Phone 1406 B or return to 935 3rd. 12-3

LOST:—Bank book on Chillicothe St. Phone 1334 Y. 1043 15th. 11-3

LOST:—Package containing blue wrestling tights, black elastic supporter. Phone 1165 X. 10-3

LOST:—Brown pocketbook near post office. Return to Home Telephone Co. 11-1

LOST:—Boy Scout knife on Offnere. Phone 1516 X. Reward 9-3

WAR'S UNHAPPIEST VICTIMS AT DOOR OF AMERICAN WOMAN

Mrs. Brand Whitlock.

Since the great war made the women and children of Belgium hungry and homeless, the women of the United States have been active toward lending them aid, but it has been the privilege of Mrs. Brand Whitlock to do relief work in person for the people of the stricken country to which her husband is American minister. Mrs. Whitlock has been in every movement for mitigating the sufferings of those around her, and to a large extent she has shared their privations.

WITH THE SICK

Henry Brodbeck, who has been a patient in a hospital at Chicago for some weeks past, has about fully recovered and is expected back here the latter part of the month.

After a few days' illness with grip, Harry Huddleson has resumed his work as a mailcarrier.

Frank Henning, who runs a clothes shop in the East End has been ill with the grip for several days.

Mrs. David Appel, of the Chillicothe pike, was reported better Friday. She has been very ill with heart trouble. Mrs. Appel's home near Davis Station was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday night.

James Quinn, proprietor of the Sanitary restaurant in the Schuler hotel building, continues dangerously ill with dropsical trouble at his home on Front street.

Frank Balmert, book-keeper at the Central National bank, is off duty on account of an attack of grip.

$1—$1 Dollar Shoe Sale!

Women's $3.50, $4 and $4.50 Shoes $1

Sizes 2 to 3 1-2; all widths.

This is not a sale of narrow widths and back number toes but one of the latest creations in women's shoes. The description that we are going to give you of this stock is absolutely accurate and taken down from our stock as we find it this (Friday) morning.

The last one of our dollar high shoe sales this season and will last two days only, Saturday, February 13 and Monday, February 15.

These shoes are the product of Riley Shoe Co., Columbus, Pingree, Detroit, Dorothy Dodd, Boston. The sizes 2 to 3½. The latest toes. The leathers, gun metal, button and lace. Gun metal and tan English Walking Shoes. Dull Kid, button lace bal. invisible eyelets. Vici Tan buttons with fawn cloth tops. Tan and Black Velvet buttons, Patent Colt white tops. Grey, Blue, Tan and Black Suede buttons. Ladies, if you wear size 2 to 3½ shoes this certainly is one grand opportunity. Remember this is the last $1 sale of the season on women's high shoes. Don't forget the days, Saturday, Feb. 13, Monday, Feb. 15.

SI. STRAUS' SALVAGE

$1 Two Twenty Chillicothe Street $1

Eugene Stewart has returned from a three weeks' trip through Northern Ohio in the interest of the American Tobacco Company. Mr. Stewart was forced to return home to recuperate from an attack of grip.

Warren, little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyer, who has been very ill for several days is much better.

Mrs. Otto Lauffer, of Second street, is ill with la grippe.

Mrs. Christina Schwab has been quite ill at her home on Front street the past few days.

Charles Taggart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taggart, of Baird avenue, who has been seriously ill for ten days, was reported better Friday.

Word came from Cincinnati Friday telling of the successful operation Martin Gal recently underwent in the Jewish hospital there. Gal is employed as a clerk in the Salvage store. A goitre was removed from his breast.

Harold Davidson, of Union street, was reported dangerously ill with typhoid fever, Friday.

Mrs. F. L. Sikes, of Sciotoville, is the victim of a real attack of grip.

Miss Lulu Meadows was removed to the Hempstead hospital Friday. She will submit to an operation Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Loft, of Highland avenue, have converted their home into a hospital as they are both ill with aggravated attacks of tonsilitis.

One on the Voice.

Lecturer—"Ladies and gentlemen, we shall consider this evening the fundamental principles of architecture. The Etruscans—" A Wandering Voice—"How d'yo build a dog house?" Lecturer (solicitously)—"Are you going to move?"—Judge.

Uncle Eben.

"De chances are," said Uncle Eben, "dat de man dat ain' never nuffin' but happy an' good-natured has somehow managed to land hisself in a good-lookin' job dat he's tryin' to hang unto."

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$3.75 for coats which were priced up to $20
$9.75 for your choice of any coat in the house

SKIRTS $2.48 for $5 and $6 Tailored Skirts
$3.25 for Skirts that formerly sold at $8 to $12

SILK and WOOL DRESSES Dresses worth up to $10.00 $2.98
Dresses worth up to $15.00 $3.75
Dresses worth up to $30.00 $9.75

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR Gowns, Slips, Combinations, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers
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Values up to $2.50 ..... 98c
Values up to $1.50 ..... 69c
Values up to $1.00 ..... 48c

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$1.00 value 69c
75c value 39c
50c value 23c
25c value 17c

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60. Residence A-690.

Dear Dolly.—Will you please tell me if Charles Hunt with the Barrett players at the Sun is married and if not, if he is on the matrimonial market.

WANTTO-KNOW.

Charles is in the matrimonial market all right, but he doesn't want Mr. Barrett to know it, as he wants to keep him single, if possible.

Dear Dolly.—Is it too late to plant Easter bulbs?

A READER.

They may not bloom in time for Easter, but will be in flower during April.

Dear Miss Wise.—Do you advise one to use coconnut oil in shampooing the hair instead of some shampoo?

CLARA.

No. It has too much oil. Use the usual shampoo of castile soap.

Dear Dolly.—I have been keeping company with a young lady for nearly a year and I would have stopped going with her long ago, but I knew she loved me and I felt sorry for her. I do not love her, but like her as a friend. Will you kindly advise.

WILLIAM.

You did wrong in continuing to go with her. Don't make it any worse by delaying longer to tell her that your regard for her is purely friendly and can never be anything more.

Dear Dolly.—What can I do to avoid making so much dust when I sweep, my carpets are getting so dusty?

HOUSEKEEPER.

Dip the broom in water, shake out and repeat when necessary during the sweeping. It might be a good idea to take your carpets up once in a while and beat some of the dust out of them.

Dear Miss Wise—Will you please tell me through The Times where I can purchase some postcards of the Municiple Christmas tree of Portsmouth, and also some pictures of the presentation of the gifts to William Peerless Brown? And oblige L. S. B.

We don't publish names and addresses in this column. Send stamped envelope or phone 60.

Sciotoville, O.—Dear Dolly.—Would you please print in your column what branches are used the first year in Portsmouth High School.

SCIOTOVILLE LAD.

Write or phone Supt. Frank Appel, or stop at High School next time you are in the city.

Dear Dolly.—What should a girl say, or how should she thank a boy for taking her my place, or accompanying her home?

BLANCHE.

Simply thank him for bringing you home, and express your pleasure in the entertainment, and thank him also if you choose. It is perfectly proper.

Dear Dolly.—Why am I always made fun of by my schoolmates when I go with a girl? I don't like it and neither does she, and I am afraid that if they keep it up she will refuse to go with me after awhile.

RAYMOND.

Perhaps you act foolish when you are with her. Remember to act as you would on any other occasion, when taking a young woman about and you will not have this trouble. Also do not notice it, for if you do, they will continue it.

Dear Miss Wise.—I was going with a girl and we quit. She was all the time telling everything I said and saying she was going to quit me. Since we quit she is all the time hanging around and asking me to take her out auto riding and even asked me to go with her again. She goes to public dances and to other public places and I don't think nice girls will do that, do you, Dolly? Please tell her what to do as I do not want to go with this girl. CUTIE.

If you don't want to go with her, tell her so, and then maybe she won't "hang around". I have always advised against public dances, Cutie, but it doesn't seem to do any good.

Dear Dolly.—Does a boy like a girl if he teases her?

GERTIE.

It is the nature of some boys to tease those they like and those they dislike, though the kind of teasing is very easily distinguishable.

Dear Dolly.—Do you think it the nature of the majority of boys to tell a girl anything?

BESSIE.

That depends on the boy. Some boys and some girls are secretive, and some tell everything they hear and lots of things they don't hear. They just naturally make-up things and tell them for the truth.

Tenth Street Widow—The man might be willing to marry and still not want you. After he proposes will be time enough to consider whether or not you will accept him. Never marry for the sake of a home, and don't be so crazy for a man. You are quite young and have plenty of time to wait until some one wants you. Never chase a man, they can run so much faster than you. Be independent and let him do the chasing.

Wolverine—Why don't you tell him not to do those things. It's only a habit and if you tell him such things annoy you, I am sure he will stop instanter.

Dear Miss Wise—I am very fond of Anna May, one of the Barrett Players at the Sun, and how can I get acquainted with her. I like her very much as a lady. I have seen her several times on the street and she seems so very pleasant. I could hardly resist from stopping her and congratulating her for her splendid work. Do you think she would think me fast or bold by doing so. I would give almost anything to get acquainted with her.

A LADY READER.

Would suggest that the Barrett Players hold a reception after the matinee or night performance in the near future for the benefit of their admirers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Denman, of Cincinnati, are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Somerville will leave Monday for a visit in Cincinnati.

The next meeting of the Art Circle will be held next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edgar Poffenberger.

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SOCIETY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Oldtown Methodist church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Smith Crull, of the West Side, Thursday afternoon. An interesting meeting was held, both business and social. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. William Rapp, February 25.

Miss Sarah McAfee has been substituting at the Union street school building for the principal, Mrs. Pauline McKeown, who has been detained at home on account of illness.

Word has been received here of the marriage of a former Portsmouth girl, Miss Nelle Morford. She was married in Detroit, Mich., February 5, to Harry Kendall of Bradford, England, by Rev. Joseph D. Vance, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Their attendants were Miss Myrtle Curry and Mr. William Jones. The wedding took place in the beautiful home the groom had already furnished. The bride, an attractive blonde, looked lovely in a blue charmeuse wedding gown, with hat and gloves ensuite. Owing to the war, they have postponed their wedding trip to England till later. After a brief honeymoon to Toronto, Can., and Niagara Falls they will be at home in their apartments in Elliot Hall, 73 and 75 Libley avenue, Detroit.

Mrs. Edwin J. Morgan gave a delightful Kensington this afternoon at her home on Glover street. There were forty guests, among them being Mrs. Norris, of Steelton, mother of Mrs. J. P. Morris, of Highland avenue. While the guests were indulging in fancy work Miss Katherine Dawson entertained them with enjoyable readings, and Mrs. John Newton Davis played beautiful piano selections. In serving the dainty repast Mrs. Morgan was assisted by Mrs. John E. Williams, Mrs. D. E. Thomas and Miss Lillian Thomas.

Mrs. Edward Bigelow, (Florence Crawford) who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. George Crawford, for the past few weeks, will sail from New York February 18th on the steamer Adriatic for her home in Panama.

Mrs. Chris Heer gave the third of a series of parties this afternoon at her home on Sixth street, when she entertained thirty-five guests with a Kensington. Mrs. Lucia Scott and daughter, Mrs. Nathan Booth, of Alexandria Ind., guests of Mrs. Henry Heer, were out-of-town guests. Needlework was followed by a delicious lunch. Mrs. Heer was assisted by Mrs. Anna Adams and Mrs. Oscar Adams.

Miss Katherine Schuler, of 1021 Eighth street, entertained the Kensington club last evening with a valentine party. Those present were Miss Ora Locher, Mrs. Leslie White, Miss Marie Dowdy, Miss Goldie Patton, Messrs. Robert Connell, Samuel Harper, Leslie White, Robert Campbell and Clarence Clausing. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Charles Spencer has been ill for several days at her home on Offnere street.

Miss Ethel Forsythe, of 1503 Sixth street, who is ill with typhoid fever, is slightly better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gardner's home on Eleventh street was the scene of an enjoyable meeting of the T. O. T. club last evening. There were present Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Krauser, J. G. Shaw, Fred Jones, Edwin Saunders and Edward Campbell. Games and music were the diversions and a valentine box was also an interesting feature of the party. Mrs. Gardner served a delicious two-course lunch.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30, at the home of Mr. J. J. Davidson, of Fourth street, where a Frances Willard Memorial program will be rendered and an offering will be taken for the memorial fund.

The Sunshine Circle, composed of members of Mrs. M. W. Brown's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school, met last evening at the home of Mrs. Gulker. Mrs. Tingle presided. The program was as follows:

Devotional—Singing. "Abide With Me" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

Prayer by Mrs. Holland.

Talk—Mrs. Blake.

Reading, "Homeward Bound"—Mrs. O. C. Coverston.

There were thirty-three members and seven visitors present.

Ms. E. B. Lancaster acted as postmistress and distributed comic valentines to each one. The hostesses, Mesdames Gulker, Lutz, Clark, Roberts and Cooper, served light refreshments. There will be no meeting in March as the teacher, Mrs. Brown, is in Florida. The next regular meeting will be held in April.

Mrs. Edward H. Westphal, of Findlay street, will entertain Sunday evening with a miscellaneous shower, complimentary to Miss Ankram, fiancee of Mr. Edward Conwell, whose marriage will take place Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Honaker, of Glenn, Ky., entertained at their beautiful home Thursday evening, complimentary to their sons, John and David Honaker, and their cousin, E. W. Thomson, of Tampa, Fla., who is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Queen, of Kirksville. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomson and daughters, Lona, Marie and Mary, G. B. Reinhart, George Morgan, Will Alexander, Miss Lily Blaine, of St. Paul, Ky., Miss Marie Queen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker, of Kirksville, W. E. Marsh, Charles Hayward, Irwin Tuckett, Robert Brooks, of Fire Brick, Harvey Willis, Russell McElhaney, Gard Willis, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson and son Elva, Mr. and Mrs. P. Wingo and son Harvey, Roy Berry, Mr. Miller, of South Portsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dobbins, of Jackson, O., Miss Goldie Marsh, of Nelsonville, O., Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and son, Cecil, of Lynchburg, Va.

The evening was delightfully spent with music and dancing. The Vaughn Bros.' Trio furnished the music. A three course luncheon was served at midnight.

Mrs. Owen Hopkins gave an enjoyable thimble party yesterday afternoon at her home, 1636 Sixth street, which was beautifully decorated with hearts, valentines and cupids. An elegant lunch was served in the dining-room, where the table was prettily adorned for the occasion. Covers were laid for Mesdames Virgil Jones, D. E. Holbrook, A. R. Nixon, J. M. Dawson, George Ware, C. R. Suffren, J. H. Tener, Kline Dawson, Charles Warnock, Lee Startzman and W. C. Miller. The places were marked with dainty cards, hand-painted by Mrs. Suffren. The children who were present had a table to themselves, as follows: Roger Suffren, Billy Miller, Mildred Jones and Robert Hopkins.

Mrs. J. H. Smith entertained last evening with a five hundred party at her home on Offnere street in honor of Mrs. L. Faulkner, of Catlettsburg. There were sixteen guests. The game was followed by a Dutch lunch. Mrs. Faulkner was presented with a hand-painted pickle dish as the guest prize. Mrs. Emil Theer won the first prize, a fancy apron. Mrs. Stickard was presented with the consolation, a lemon tied with dainty ribbons.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Central Presbyterian church held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Misses Lucy and Mary Bernd, on Clover street. Officers for the new year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. Frank Brown.

Vice-Presidents.— Mrs. Charles Houck, Mrs. H. H. Murray.

Secretary—Mrs. George V. Holstetter.

Treasurer—Mrs. Leonard Steymann.

Secretary of Literature—Mrs. Bliss B. Cartwright.

The program consisted of a paper, "Mission Work," by Miss Anna Birkel. Mrs. D. F. Creekbaum was a guest. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Pressler.

The Jewish Kaffee Klatch met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Moses Lehman, where all the members were present. Mrs. Blanche Gideon, of Huntington, sister of the hostess, was a guest. At cards Mrs. Abe Mayer won the favor, a pair of silk hose. Delicious refreshments followed the game. An evening party will be given next Wednesday, when Mrs. Samuel Loj and Mrs. I. Quasser will be the hostesses.

The Gibbons Social Club gave one of their enjoyable dances last evening in St. Mary's hall, with a large crowd present. Messrs. William Spitzer, Edward Kean and George Haaf were the musicians, and the committee in charge was Walter Hafner and Clarence Fleming. The next meeting, dancing and cards, will be held April 8th, when an election of directors will take place. Messrs. Dan Flannigan and Thomas Benny will be in charge of the cards, and Oscar Mantel and Henry Buerling in charge of the dancing.

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STAR BOARDERS, ETC., IN THE LIMELIGHT IN COURT

Some grass widows in the Clay Mershon settlement on lower Third street earn a living by cooking for male boarders and otherwise care absolutely nothing for said men if what they themselves declare be true.

Mrs. Levi Clark, who with her star boarder, Harry Canter jointly faced a disorderly charge preferred by Henry Jones, a youth of the neighborhood in police court Friday, not only provides for several children of her own but also boards Canter and his four children.

Mrs. Clark cared nothing about Canter's domestic affairs she said so long as he was paying her $30 per month board. They have four rooms and she said Canter's room was "far off to one end." She said she also boarded Clay Mershon and looked after his telephone calls.

Canter in his own defense, said Judge Beatty had advised him against placing his children in a county home and privileged him to engage anyone he pleased to board his children. He said Mrs. Clark had boarded them for five months at New Boston or until he was burned out there.

Mrs. Pennington who lives in the same house, with a 11-year-old daughter, said she did the "cooking" for Clayte Scott, an Interstate employee, but insisted he was not her "man" in the sense intimated by the court for she cared for "no man." "But we got to have them among us," retorted the woman. She said she had a divorce. She herself had never applied for any but had heard that her husband got a divorce at Ashland some years ago but had not felt interested enough to find out.

Complaints against the trio had been made by young Jones as the result of a wordy war Thursday, the trouble growing out of a dispute over a key. Jones and his relatives prepared to move out of the neighborhood and more trouble resulted, Canter it is said, threatening the youth.

The mayor dismissed Mrs. Clark and Canter and admonished them that if they wished to keep out of trouble they had better live apart. The same advice was given to the Pennington woman. A young son and daughter of Canter shocked the court by the free and brazen way they repeated the vile language uttered during the trouble and were promptly reprimanded and excluded from the court room the mayor ordering them to repair immediately to school.

GETS BRONZE BADGES FOR FAITHFUL SERVICE

In recognition of his services in the Philippine Relief and the Chinese Relief expositions while a member of the Ninth United States Infantry, in which he served three years, John Diehmann, street car motorman living at New Boston, received two bronze badges from the government Thursday.

Diehmann was honorably discharged in 1902. The badges are turned out at the Philadelphia mint. The bade commemorating the Philippine service bears the picture of a cocoanut tree and has a red, white and blue pendant. The other is on a yellow silk pendant and the metal bears a dragon in relief. Diehmann is one of the few in this part of the country who possess the badges.

Panama Pictures At High School

On February 17 moving pictures of the Panama Canal, the Panama Exposition in Frisco and the San Diego Exposition will be shown in the high school auditorium, under the auspices of the Board of Education. School children will be admitted free in the afternoon, but a charge of 10 cents will be made at the evening performance.

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HAD TO HANDCUFF AN INSANE NEGRO

Deputy Sheriffs Rome Arthurs and John Nance arrived in Portsmouth Friday noon from Athens, having in custody John Young, the local negro, who went violently insane in that city Wednesday. Young continued violent all the way home, and the officers were compelled to handcuff him to prevent him from annoying passengers on the train. The officers arrived in Chillicothe too late Thursday evening to catch the train home, and Young spent the night in jail in that city.

Young was taken before Judge Beatty early Friday afternoon, and adjudged insane at an inquest, conducted by Drs. Huber and Brodnae. He will be taken to the Athens hospital some time Saturday.

The Severe Tortures of Rheumatism

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FOX CHASE ON THE WEST SIDE

There is to be one grand fox chase on the West Side Saturday night. The hunting party will start from the foot of Carey's Run and will make an all night chase of it. The dogs to be used in the chase have been well trained.

The members of the party will be Will and Ray Beekman, Charles Hopkins, Milt Hodge and Will Piatt.

Men's Fleeced Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, 50c values, Saturday 29 cents. Bragdon'. adv 12-1

Buys Reo Car

David Stahler, local agent for the Reo Automobile company, sold a fine touring car of that make to John Hinzer, Jr., of the West Side, Friday.

CHANGE FOR BETTER

Word from the bedside of Hayden Bush, at Welcor, W. Va., Friday, was to the effect that Mr. Bush was better and had probably passed through the crisis of his illness.

Was In Williamson

R. E. Scott, passenger agent of the N. & W. was in Williamson on business Thursday.

WAS TO MEET GOVERNOR

William Sellards, popular young Republican leader of this city, was a caller at the executive office in Columbus Thursday just a few moments before Governor Willis became ill.

He had made an appointment to return in the afternoon, which was later cancelled on account of the governor's illness. He returned home Thursday night.

To Install Pool Tables

The A. J. Hailman company is preparing to install four pool tables at its liquor store on Second street.

Trip For Drew Co.

J. M. Grahlm left Friday for Clarksburg, W. Va., where he will transact business in the interest of the Irving Drew Shoe company.

Sick and Destitute

John Meredith, of 715 Eighth street, who is sick and destitute, was warranted over to the county authorities Friday. He has been a resident here but three months.

Kentucky Visitor

Squire W. T. Hearn, an aged magistrate of Argelite, Ky., was an interested spectator at the local police court Friday morning.

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NEW BOSTON

Mrs. Walter Rankin of East Grace street who has been ill for several days will probably have to undergo an operation.

Mrs. J. Weeks is confined to her home in Lakeside with a slight illness.

Helen Roden, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arb Roden, of Ohio avenue, has almost recovered after a several days' illness.

Miss Carrie Bell, of East Rhodes avenue is the guest of relatives in Huntington, W. V.

Mrs. Frank Wolfe of Stewartsville is convalescing from a slight illness.

Frank Bihl, N. & W. employee of Grace street is contemplating long joy rides in the new Ford touring car he bought of W. J. Friel Thursday.

George McCoy, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. McCoy of Cedar street took suddenly ill Thursday while in school and had to be taken home. The boy first said he had swallowed a pin but the pin was later found on his desk at school.

A splendid choir practice was held at the Baptist church Thursday evening with Rev. Morris Bridwell as leader.

"There will be no boxing in New Boston as long as I am Mayor" was the statement made to Russell White and Harry Gillen, of the city, Thursday, by Mayor Davis. They had come for Mayor Davis' final answer on whether he was going to permit the promoters of the Portsmouth Athletic Club to stage boxing bouts in the village. The mayor had the matter under consideration for a week and decided that in behalf of the people who put him in office he would not permit boxing. He further said to the two promoters of the Athletic Club, "if I would give my consent, someone in council would come right back and try to pass an ordinance forbidding it." They would use it as a club against me if I ever ran for any office again," said Mayor Davis Friday.

Ten men with seven teams of horses and scoop shovels are busy grading on Lakeview avenue. This thoroughfare is very low between Pine street and Cedar street a distance of two squares. Cedar street, where is joins Lakeview avenue, is some 20 feet higher than Spruce street, which joins Lakeview avenue one square south of Cedar street. The fill that is being made will make the grade to Cedar street much easier. Watkins and Phillips, contractors who are to lay the village water mains are [illegible] the work. According to their contract they are to do all leveling and filling necessary. The new fill will not make it necessary for them to lay their pipes so de[illegible] on Cedar street. The fill will be settled by the time that street is used, while Harrisonville pike is being paved.

Mary York, postmistress and Mrs. Frank Belt were surprised by the ones they meant to surprise Thursday evening. Norman G. H. Apel, manager of the United Fuel and Gas company whose office is in the same building as the postoffice was due to pass the building at 7 o'clock Thursday evening with his bride, Miss Genivieve Little of Sciotoville, in a cab. Mr. Apel getting next to Miss York's and Mrs. Belt's plans passed through the village with his bride a half hour before scheduled time and when 8 o'clock rolled around the two women were still waiting with their sacks of rice for the newly married couple.

Mayor J. S. Davis was summoned before the grand jury Friday. Marshal Will I. Davis was summoned to appear before that body Friday and Saturday. Night Deputy Marshal Will Fremont fills Davis' place during his absence.

Woodrow, alias Ike Wilson returned to the village Thursday after having spent seven months on a farm near Kinnikinnick, Ky. Wilson has many friends in the village who welcomed his return.

Lawrence Burcham of Brownsville, Ind., will arrive in the village in a few days to visit relatives.

Joe Hladik, leader and instructor of the Steel company's boys' band, is having his restaurant on Gallia pike painted on the interior and exterior.

Ogle Burcham, Gallia pike plumber is busy overhauling and repainting the Burcham Buick automobile prior to summer joy rides.

The Daughters of America will hold their regular weekly session Friday evening in Davis' hall.

Grant Dixon, who was named by Clerk of Council Thomas O'Neal, as his assistant in serving property owners with notices that certain streets are to be paved, is busy passing the notices around. There has been but a few kicks against the paving and these parties are the owners of the hillside land north of Gallia pike from which the owners are receiving no income.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Burcham on East Rhodes avenue Thursday afternoon.

John Koenig, of 276 Gallia pike is suffering with blood poisoning in his left hand, and has been confined to his home for several days. Koenig is an employe of the Breece plant. The poisoning was caused by his running a splinter into the member over a week ago.

There was no meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church Thursday on account of the supper given at the church Thursday evening.

The Excelsior Sewing Club will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Aurilla Emory on Cedar street.

Council will meet in regular session Monday evening.

The social given by class No. 1, of the Christian church Thursday evening was well attended and the event netted a neat sum that is to go into the fund for the completion of the new church on Ohio avenue.

Miss Ella Griffin has taken a position at the New Busy Bee restaurant on Gallia street, city.

Nancy Giles, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Giles of Gallia pike has been ill for several days.

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Reservoir Would Leak

The mayor issues a statement that the fact that the reservoir is leaking is nothing strange or unusual for it should be remembered, he says, that the reservoir as yet has not been treated with reference to leaks.

What has been done to date was confined to strengthening the side walls that they might withstand the pressure of water when the basin is filled to its capacity without danger of collapsing. The engineers and contractors all felt that the pumps should be first put in shape that water might be supplied to the city direct from the pumping mains before draining the reservoir so that leaks might be located and properly tightened. The pumps are still in process of rebuilding, alteration and repair and may continue so for some weeks to come during which time the leaks in the reservoir will not be taken care of.

The mayor had insisted upon the reservoir being tightened before the excavation for the buttresses was first began but the engineers and contractors had preferred to fill the excavations then clear the centers with the remaining earth to show that the leaks had been properly taken care of.

CHOKES ON MARBLE

The opening of the marble season almost ended disastrously to Porter, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Spriggs of Eighth street, Friday.

The lad had a marble lodge in his windpipe and he came near choking to death before it could be removed by a physician. The boy had two marbles in his mouth and when a playmate shoved him as he was stooping over he swallowed one of them.

DOING IT NOW

Messrs. Watkins and Phillips, who will put in the water mains and service pipe for the new water system to be installed in the village of New Boston subscribed to the slogan "Do-It-Now" Friday when they put a force of men to work doing some grading before beginning the real excavation work.

"We plan to hustle all of our end of the contract through in a hurry," said Mr. Phillips, Friday.

GOVERNOR NOT IN BAD SHAPE

Attorney Henry T. Bannon has returned from a business errand to Columbus.

Mr. Bannon stated Friday that Governor Willis was not stricken with heart trouble as telegraphic messages stated Thursday, but that he is suffering from nervousness brought on by excessive work. Mr. Bannon says that Governor Willis has worked 16 hours a day ever since he was inaugurated and physicians have told him to ease up a bit.

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Thank Those Who Aided Bundle Day

Thursday finished the task of gathering bundles for the Associated Charities, which were not collected on "Bundle Day." With the assistance of Carl Bauer and his machine, Paul Swavel and Will Hughes, this work is about finished. The work of gathering in the bundles by no means ended the work. With the splendid assistance of Mrs. Wm. Hughes, the sorting and placing of clothing on shelves is still going on. If there is anyone who has been missed as these bundles have been collected, please call Miss Adams again, 'phone 1740, new number, and she will send for them as soon as possible. The past week has been a most strenuous one for the Associated Charities, but with the assistance of Mrs. Wm. Briggs, Mrs. Geo. Small and Miss Margaret Rideout, who gave two days to the work, and those who have already been mentioned, the work went along splendidly. Miss Adams personally wishes to thank these, without whose co-operation and free services the work could not have been successfully carried on.

MRS. WILLIAMS' LONG SICKNESS

Yields To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Elkhart, Ind.:—"I suffered for fourteen years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sanative Wash. I have now used the remedies for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me.

"If these lines will be of any benefit you have my permission to publish them."—Mrs. SADIE WILLIAMS, 455 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

Aided By The City

Mrs. Beulah Fields, the widowed mother of Jack and Kendall Fields, two of the men held in connection with the Burens murder, was again given an order for groceries by the city officials Friday. She promised it would be her last call for help, as she expected to go to relatives in the country shortly. Mrs. Katie Hale, of 920 Fourth street, who is sick and destitute, was warranted over to the county authorities for assistance.

BUILDING PERMITS

John Grose, new two-story frame house at No. 615 Moulton Place, $3,000; William Lange, stable at No. 1531 Mabert road, $100; John Grose, sanitary sewer tap at No. 615 Moulton place; Merle O. Dunbit, sanitary sewer tap at No. 1725 Seventh street.

SOCIAL SESSION OF THE BOY SCOUTS A SUCCESS

The fourth event of the Boy Scout Anniversary Week was the social session of the First Class Fraternity held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. R. Funderburg, 1525 Seventh street, and entertained by her brother, Scout Carl Walker, who is a prominent member of the frat.

President Russell Williams had charge of the meeting and after the usual business session, he delighted all with a beautiful piano solo, "Under the Double Eagle March." Scout Corwin Knowles gave a talk from the subject, "My Impressions of Anniversary Week." Scout Commissioner Kinsey sang a comic selection for the boys, after which Scout Curtis Bellamy rendered all the bugle calls.

The most humorous number of the evening's program was a comic debate, the subject being: "Resolved, That Married Life Is More Blessed Than Single." Scouts Russell Williams and Curtis Bellamy, Portsmouth's two Eagle Scouts, had the nerve to defend the affirmative side of this subject, and pitted against them was Emil Cook and Marion Garrison for the negative side. The judges decided in favor of the negative side.

Scout Harry Wagner followed with a short talk on a subject which was of interest to the fraternity only. Arthur Doll enlivened the program with a number of good live jokes, after which a mock trial was staged, in which Odell Baker was arraigned for theft. Scout Harry Wagner donned the ermine and acted as judge. Carl Walker was the prosecuting attorney, and Arthur Doll the attorney for the defense. Mr. Baker was found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment by the cruel judge.

The program of the evening came to a close with some very interesting troop reports from the troops represented by the boys present.

Mrs. Funderburg then invited the members of the fraternity into the dining room where delicious refreshments were served. She was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Sadie Walker. The table was beautifully decorated in hearts and cupids appropriate to the valentine season. At the conclusion of this feast, the Scouts gave Mrs. Funderburg a hearty vote of thanks for the royal manner in which they were entertained.

The following members were present: Russell Williams, Corwin Knowles, Curtis Bellamy, Emil Cook, Marion Garrison, Harry Wagner, Lowell Talman, Odell Baker, Arthur Doll, Carl Walker, and Scout Commissioner M. H. E. Kinsey.

The Fraternity is an organization of First Class Scouts, which was organized about three months ago, and since that time many very interesting and helpful sessions have been held. The officers are: Russell Williams, president; Curtis Bellamy, vice president; Harry Wagner, secretary; Odell Baker, treasurer.

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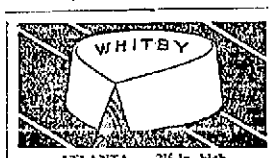

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Examiner Finds No Criminal Acts

County Auditor Thomas G. Patterson is in receipt of a complete copy of the report of Examiner John Huegner, on the examination of the accounts of the municipal and township schools in Scioto county, made last December. The report covers nearly two hundred type-written pages and covers every transaction of the boards during the year previous.

No irregularities nor criminal acts were uncovered in the examination, but attention was called to various instances in which the school law was disregarded in minor matters, all of which were brought to the attention of the different boards while the examiner was here. Copies of the examination of each district are in the hands of the boards of the respective districts.

Says Knives Were Drawn

Joe Kavites, Charles Kander, Charles Woodner and Lewis Gunshow, tramps, who are said to have drawn razors and knives on a local private detective at the Black Diamond brick plant, were fined $5 each in police court Friday for loitering. The detective failed to appear against them.

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Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

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PARTLY AMERICAN OWNED SHIP IS SUNK IN A BOMBARDMENT

Washington, Feb. 12.—Ambassador Morgenthau, at Constantinople today reported the sinking of the partly American owned steamer Washington, flying the Greek flag, in the harbor of Thebizond, during the recent Russian bombardment of the Turkish port. The Washington was reported last night as an American ship.

WORD AMERICAN IS MAGIC TO BELGIANS IN STRICKEN COUNTRY

Brussels, Feb. 12—Brand Whitlock, the American minister in Brussels, and Henry W. Diederich, the American Consul General in Antwerp, who were sources from whom The Associated Press correspondent sought information as to the progress of relief work, both declared that the German authorities were co-operating as far as possible in the service which outsiders were trying to render to the distressed Belgians.

Mr. Whitlock, fresh and alert, notwithstanding the strain of the past few months, is still actively interested in the work of the American Relief committee, and discussing its importance, he said:

"There are places where the cessation of our work for a week would mean starvation. I believe that its cessation for three weeks would mean hunger throughout Belgium. A German officer said to me yesterday that to stop it for a day would mean suffering in some localities."

The committee is now so systematically established that its headquarters occupy no less than twenty-two rooms, which, like the offices of an American sky-scraper, are lettered at the door with the names of its various departments.

Throughout Brussels there is much magic in the word "American," that even the cabmen no longer pesters Americans for tips. Hand him the exact fare, if he knows you are American, he will smile and say, "Thank you!" and appear to be sufficiently rewarded with the honor of having an American for his fare. It is a tribute thing, but in strange contrast to the ante-bellum days when a Brussels cabman looked to Americans for big tips, and was never satisfied, however big the tip might be.

Although there is much bitter want in all Belgium, Brussels, to one who knew the city well before the war, looks—apart from the German uniforms in the street—much as in normal times. Striking, however, is the number of beggars, mainly old women and very young children, and the swarm of vendors, chiefly of postcards. At night there is the same ceaseless promenading through the main streets, that has always formed such a characteristic picturesque part of life in the Belgian capital, but at 11 o'clock most of the street lights are extinguished and the bars and cafes are closed.

This early closing, and the fact that only beer and light wines are permitted to be sold, are the chief outward evidences of the strict German rule of the conquered city. These conditions, however, are more apparent than real.

The German soldiers are good patrons of the shops, paying for their purchases in cash, but the buying power of the people is steadily—and rapidly—growing less. Industry, except in some of the coal and iron mines along the Meuse between Liege and Huys, is prostrate. The better class people remaining are living on their incomes or savings; the poorer on charity. In the Bon Marche, for instance, one of the largest of the Brussels stores, there appear to be only about a third as many clerks as before the war, and the same is true of other establishments. A large lace factory visited by the correspondent was quite idle.

"There are no more Americans, no more English, no more Spaniards visiting us," said the young woman in charge. "The girls who worked here are in the fields."

In Antwerp conditions are far worse. Business is prostrate and actual want increasing. Along the miles of wharves of the city's splendid harbor the idle ships lie rusting at their moorings. Millions of feet of lumber are stacked in the deserted yards, and where ordinarily a swarm of workmen load and unload the busy ships, a solitary watchman makes his deserted rounds.

The city is overrun with beggars and vendors. The shops are empty. Scattered about the city are wrecked and burned buildings, showing where German shells fell during the bombardment of the city.

"The life is most monotonous," complained Consul General Diederich. "With the exception of members of my staff and of the American relief workers, there are, so far as I know, only two Americans left in Antwerp."

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

WOULD EXEMPT PUBLIC BONDS FROM TAXATION

Columbus, Feb. 12 — Senator Lloyd, of Franklin, today introduced a resolution providing for submission of a constitutional amendment to exempt public bonds from taxation. This would annul the amendement adopted in 1912, making these bonds taxable. A similar proposal has been presented in the house.

REMEMBER YOUR FRIENDS
By sending them one of the Corner Bookstore's Valentines. 2nd and Chillicothe. adv 12-2t

RUSSIAN WAR STATEMENT

Petrograd, Feb. 12.—Further explanation of the retirement of the Russian forces in East Prussia is made today in an official statement which says:

"It is believed we are upon the eve of a great operation which must solve definitely the struggle in East Prussia."

Warning is given that because of the necessity for military secrecy little information may be expected regarding the operations which are about to begin. The Russians are seeking the shelter of their own fortresses, the statement asserts before attempting to take "more concentrated" locations from which to oppose the heavily reinforced Germans.

The Russians claim the garrison of the fortress of Przemysl is exhausting itself in fruitless sorties. A final repulse of the Germans who temporarily occupied the heights of Kozionvka after twenty-two assaults, is reported. The communication follows:

"It has been established that recently there have appeared in East Prussia four new corps of the German army consisting partly of troops transported from the west front, partly of new recruits and partly of reserve forces.

"This radically changed conditions and involved the necessity of our troops retiring in order to facilitate recomposition, to locations more concentrated. This object, it was believed, could be better attained upon our own territory in the shelter of our fortresses.

"It is believed we are upon the eve of a great operation which must solve definitely the struggle in East Prussia.

"This circumstance renders it necessary that few inquiries be made concerning future combats, taking account of the strict necessity for the observance of military secrecy.

"After twenty-two frustrated attempts the Germans succeeded in occupying in great force, after a desperate struggle, the heights of Kozionvka but were dislodged after a violent bayonet attack, leaving 400 dead.

"The garrison of the fortress of Przemysl is exhausting itself in fruitless attacks, maintaining an irregular fire against our blockading troops.

"On the Black Sea, the Russians have sunk the Turkish transport Broussa, laden with 50,000 pounds of provisions."

U. S. INTERCEDES FOR WILHELMINA

Washington, Feb. 12.—The American government has proposed to Great Britain a postponement of the plan to take the American steamer Wilhelmina before a prize court, that her owners may have opportunity to present evidence which they contend will prove her cargo not property subject to seizure.

Should the British government agree to the proposal, action before a prize court would be unnecessary.

The Wilhelmina is at Falmouth with foodstuffs consigned for the civil population of Germany. Her cargo is owned by a St. Louis commission house.

In Columbus

P. H. Harsha went to Columbus Friday on a business mission.

SOCIETY

The entertainment given at the First Christian church, Thursday evening, under the auspices of Section Three of the Woman's Union, was quite well attended and hugely enjoyed by those present. Every number could well be labeled a head-liner, for each participant on the program did his or her part to perfection. There was not a single slip-up and it was voted to have been one of the most evenly balanced programs ever given at the church. Quite a little spice was added to the printed program by John Williams and Lloyd Crayden, who put on what they were pleased to call "illustrated acrobatics" and it is needless to add that this feature brought down the house. Harold Walker participated in the program, rendering two excellent piano selections. Mr. Walker, who is a high school student, is one of the finest pianists in the city and has a brilliant future along this line. He had not been originally billed as a performer, but filled in gladly when it became known that the numbers by Flora Wilson, Helen Cook and Miss Helen Young had to be dispensed with. Otherwise the published program was rendered.

One of the most enjoyable meetings of Section Three of the Woman's Union of the First Christian church, was held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Crabtree, Sixth street, Thursday afternoon. Not only was this organization well represented, but six visitors were present. The afternoon was spent in planning for more efficient work along church lines. Mrs. Crabtree proved to be an exceptionally clever hostess. Light refreshments were served at the close of the business session.

Mrs. Irving Drew entertained the Buckeye Kensington Club this afternoon at her home on Gallia street. Mrs. J. F. Morris and mother, Mrs. Norris, of Steelton, Pa., were the only guests.

Mrs. J. H. Brown, of Wellston, will spend Saturday at the home of Mrs. John Peebles, and from here will go to Ironton for a week-end visit with relatives.

Miss Stephanie Holman was hostess at last evening's meeting of the T. B. C. at her home on Eighth street, honoring her guest, Mrs. Robert Morton (Ella Jean Adams) of Frankfort. The evening was spent in playing cards and sewing, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Isabel Musser, Edna Streich, Pearl White, Louise Bourgholtzer, Addie Spencer, Mrs. Fred Lorey, Mrs. Clemens Switalski, of the club members, and Mrs. Chester Spencer and Miss Katherine Halderman were the only guests.

Mrs. Minnie Crawford Dight, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Crawford, will spend the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Feurt, on the Chillicothe pike.

Miss Louella Starlin, of Park avenue, has as guests Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCann, of Cincinnati, who are on their wedding trip. Mrs. McCann was formerly Miss Ada Fortman, who has often visited at the Starlin home before her marriage.

The Westminster Circle of the Second Presbyterian church met last evening at the home of May Blood, on Park avenue, where there were 27 present. Plans were made for an "Irish evening" on March 17th, to observe St. Patrick's day. The program subject was on the Foreign Missions. Refreshments followed the program. Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Miss Margaret Stahler, on Fourth street.

The All Saints' Ladies' Aid Society will hold a bake sale Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at Horchow's store.

Mr. A. T. Bennett's class of Manly Sunday school held a business and social session last evening at the home of Mrs. Guy Ackley, on Grandview avenue. During the social hour a valentine box was an amusing feature. Arrangements were made for a pound party Saturday evening for the benefit of a needy family. A meeting will be held February 28th to sew for the needy. The hostess served dainty refreshments, assisted by Mrs. Floyd Chabot. Those present were as follows: Mesdames K. G. Paynes, Charles Shela, Alice Brown, Chas. Bush, Floyd Chabot, Gover Wyatt, Ed Tumbleson, Samuel Bradford, John Fritz, Levi Crookshank, Misses Susie Dempsey, Aurilla Parks, Lula Morris, Emma Bauer, Mary Tumbleson, Mary Davis and Mr. A. P. Bennett. The guests were little Miss Katherine Bradford, Gaynelle Crookshanks, Margaret and Elizabeth Ackley.

Miss Stephanie Holman's guest, Mrs. Robert Morton, left today for her home in Frankfort after a week's visit with Miss Holman.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Coburn, of Carey's Run, are the proud parents of an eleven pound son, born yesterday at their home.

The Frances Badger Guild of All Saints church will hold a "spread" Saturday evening, at half after five, at the home of Miss Anna Ross, on Court street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Bethel M. E. church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Millison, on Carey's Run. The usual business was followed by refreshments, served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Ellis Morris. The members and guests were Mrs. Charles Morris, Mrs. Bert Demint and daughter, Louella, Mrs. Albert Beekman, Mrs. Ellis Morris and children, Glen and Edith, Misses Jess Miller, Kate Millison. The visitors were Mrs. William Swords, Mrs. William Beaumont and children, Marcella, Lucile and Rosina, and Miss Cora Foster.

Mrs. Fode Simmons, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Harry Britten, of Walnut Hills, arrived this afternoon for afew days' visit with Mrs. Joseph Lake.

The Portsmouth Federation of Women's Clubs will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Howard Sellards Saturday afternoon, Feb. 20, from 2 until 5 o'clock.

HONOR MEMORY OF LINCOLN

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 12—Springfield today did honor to the memory of Abraham and all state offices, banks and stores in the former president's home city were closed on this, his natal day. Tonight the biggest celebration of the year in Springfield, the Lincoln Day banquet, will be held in the state arsenal. Governor Dunne will be toastmaster and the supreme court justices and many members of the legislature will be in attendance.

CASCARETS KEEP BOWELS REGULAR AND CURE COLDS

Get a 10-cent box.

Colds—whether in the head or any part of the body—are quickly overcome by urging the liver to action and keeping the bowels free of poison. Take Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and no doubt you will wonder what became of your cold. Cascarets work while you sleep; they cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember the quickest way to get rid of colds is one or two Cascarets at night to cleanse the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this Candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little systems.

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Cleveland Team To Play Here In April

Portsmouth fans are to be treated to some big league baseball early in April, according to an announcement Friday of President William N. Gableman, who has booked the Cleveland American League club for games at Millbrook park, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, April 10, 11, and 12. One section of the Indians will stop off here on their way north from their southern training trip, which will be made up of some of the old regulars and a few of the more promising youngsters.

President Gableman has received assurance that Pitchers Carter, Hoffer, Tedrow and Jones, and Outfielder Billy Southworth will be in the group that stop here. As all of these players were former Portsmouth favorites, they are sure to receive a royal welcome from the local fans.

President Gableman also stated that the games would be played regardless of whether or not the local Ohio State League club will have reported by that time. In the latter event, a strong team will be recruited from among the minor league players wintering in Portsmouth and neighboring towns.

CRUM AND MEYERS GO TO TEXAS LEAGUE

President William Gableman of the local State League baseball club, Friday announced the sale of Pitchers Crum and Meyers to the San Antonio club of the Texas League.

The sale price was not made public, but it is understood that the local club will have first claim on their services should they fail to make good. They will be teammates again of John Baggan and Jimmy Edwards, and possibly Irish Conwell, all of whom were sold to San Antonio by the local club earlier in the winter.

JOHNSON IS CHESTY

There is no use shaking a bet on the Johnson-Willard fight unless you bet that Johnson will win by a knockout according to Johnson's way of looking at the fight. Johnson says he will win inside of ten rounds, and it will be a clean knockout. So there!

NEW TOWNS TO MAKE UP VIRGINIA LEAGUE

Lynchburg, Va., Feb. 11.—That old Virginia League is going to hit the high places and come down with many a reverberating bound next season, when the circuit, composed of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Petersburg, Newport News, Suffolk and Rocky Mount N. C. tries to weather the storms which inevitately will blow up, is the belief expressed by many fans who are intimately familiar with the conditions under which the organization will operate.

The Portsmouth Club is in bad shape, it is reported, and something like $5,000 was cast to the four winds last season in a futile attempt to gather together a mediocre team of players.

CLARKE IN THE FOLD

Tom Clarke has signed a Cincinnati contract. He wanted to be traded to an Eastern team, but Herzog blocked the deal and Clarke must return to Redland.

CARTER HAS SIGNED

The signed contract of George W. Carter, of Lake Park, Ga., brother of Nick Carter, a member of the local club last season, has been received by the management of the Portsmouth Ohio State League club, and he will be among the youngsters to report here for spring practice. Young Carter is a first sacker, and measures six feet, three inches, in his stocking feet. Local club officials expect him to fill the shoes of Jimmy Edwards, who advanced to faster company last fall.

President Gableman is in receipt of a letter from Nick Carter in which he asks to be remembered to his many friends in this city. He is wintering in Lake Park, and is having a great time hunting, fishing and playing baseball.

TO FIGHT IN MILWAUKEE

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Articles were signed here today for a ten round match between Charlie White, of Chicago, and Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champion, to be decided in Milwaukee on Feb. 25. They agreed to weigh 135 pounds at 2 o'clock. It will be their second meeting, the first having resulted in a draw.

REFUSE TO SIGN

Three veterans of last years Portsmouth baseball club have sent back their unsigned contracts to the local club, being dissatisfied with the terms offered. They are Catcher Dillhoefer, Pitcher-Outfielder Tillis, and Shortstop Emery. President Gableman expects all three of them to report when the bell tops this spring.

FEDS ARE ACTIVE

Youngstown, O., Feb. 12.—Representatives of President Gilmore, of the Federal League, attempted today to secure a lease on Wright Field. This city is to be included in a proposed Federal League farm circuit, made up of Erie, Akron, Canton, Zanesville, Newark and Youngstown.

Al Boucher, last year third baseman for the St. Louis outlaw team, Promoter Page said, will be the manager of the local club.

Ad Wolgast has two fights in Milwaukee. Ad is fighting with one hand these days, his right mit being on the blink.

BOY SCOUT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
West End	7	1	875
Covenanters	7	1	875
Tigers	3	5	375
Bigelow	3	5	375
G. C. C.	3	5	375
Crackshots	1	7	125

Special Anniversary Games.

The Boy Scout Basketball league schedule provides some crackerjack games for Saturday, and these games being the special anniversary series will make them doubly interesting. The schedule for Saturday afternoon is as follows:

Crackshots vs. Tigers.
Bigelow vs. West End.
C. C. C. vs. Covenanters.

There is some lively fight on now for first and second place. The West Enders and the Covenanters are tied for first place, and the Tigers, Bigelow and C. C. C.'s are in a tie for the second rung. The Stunt Night games were fast and interesting, but the boys are expecting even better games on tomorrow, as the teams who meet are more evenly matched.

The Covenanters who are making such a strong bid for the pennant, will play the fast troop 3 tonight at the First Presbyterian gym, as a preliminary work-out for tomorrow's games, when they meet one of the hardest teams in the league to beat, the C. C. C.'s. The line-up for these two teams Saturday will be as follows:

Covenanters—Wilson, c; Dever and Portner, forwards; Monk and Yaple, guards. C. C. C.'s—Ball, center; Doll and DeVoss, forwards; Dunn and Bryant, guards.

BASKETBALL RECORDS

Field Goals.

Portner	10
Dever	25
Schrieck	26
Grice	25
Glass	15
Devoss	12
Gehres	12
Wilson	9
Kricker	8
A Doll	7
S. Dillon	7
Graf	6
Bromley	4
Ball	4
Hamilton	3
A. Yaple	3
Eisenaugle	2
T. Williams	2
L. Yaple	2
Crawford	2
Fugitt	1
W. Hopkins	1
H. Williams	1
Thomas	1
George	1
Scott	1
R. Hopkins	1
D. Dillon	1
Baker	1

Total Points.

Covenanters	187
West End	151
Bigelow	68
Tigers	60
G. C. C.	50
Crackshots	37

Total Fouls.

Covenanters	26
West End	30
Crackshots	36
Bigelow	52
G. C. C.	53
Tigers	58

Fouls.

Kricker	16
Glass	16
Gehres	15
Ball	14
Fugitt	12
A. Doll	12
Portner	12
S. Dillon	11
Schrieck	10
A. Yaple	10
Graf	10
Bryant	8
W. Hopkins	7
Eisenaugle	7
Hudson	7
Hamilton	7
Dever	6
T. Williams	6
W. Monk	4
Breece	4
Tatman	4
O. Monk	4
L. Yaple	4
Selby	3
Davis	3
Dunn	3
Virgin	3
Baggs	2
George	2
R. Hopkins	2
Bromley	2
Wilson	1
Parker	1
Lakeman	1
Grice	1
D. Dillon	1
Moll	1

Foul Goals.

	Made	Miss
Ball	2	1
Hamilton	7	4
George	1	1
Eisenaugle	4	4
Portner	15	18
F. Dever	2	3
Bryant	2	3
A. Doll	3	6
Glass	7	10
A. Yaple	1	2
Baker	2	1
Graf	6	17
Grice	2	6
Devoss	2	6
Kricker	1	3
Gehres	1	6
H. Doll	0	6
Wilson	0	2
Parker	0	2
Schrieck	0	2
Crawford	0	2
Eppensteiner	0	1
R. Hopkins	0	1

SPORTLETS

It is said the Feds are after Tillie Shafer, former slugging third baseman of the Giants.

Larry Cheney is ready to join the Federals, according to word sent out of Chicago.

"Bresnahan only has four men I would have" said Herzog Thursday when asked if he would pull off a trade with Bresnahan.

New York fight fans are tired of Freddie Welsh. They want to see Mike Gibbons and Packey McFarland in action.

DARING YOUTH ESCAPES OFFICER JOE STOKLEY

A Front street youth, whose name was not learned, was corralled at Third and Market street after he had stolen a dinner bucket and lantern from John Davisson, a B. & O. S.-W. yard engineer Friday morning about 5 o'clock only to escape later from Officer Joe Stokley.

When the officer and prisoner reached the alley adjacent to the Schuler hotel on Second street the latter suddenly pitched the bucket and lantern to the ground and bolted down the alley. Stokley pursued him a short distance but was unable to overtake him.

The bucket and lantern were brought to headquarters for safe-keeping. The police have a good clue to the sneak thief's identity and expect to re-capture him sooner or later.

Renovating New Cafe

Albert Yuenger is renovating and improving the interior of the cafe he recently purchased from his brother, Ed Yuenger, at Second and Court streets.

George Hamm Was Witness

George Hamm, former policeman and at present deputy sheriff of Ross county, returned to Chillicothe Thursday evening having appeared before the grand jury and identified the goods stolen from the Alex Gloekner hardware store and for which robbery Ed Kelly, a Detroit young man, is held.

House Is Burned

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Ben Fields home, located about one mile and a half north-east of Lucasville, shortly after midnight Thursday. The house was empty, and the fire had gained serious headway before it was discovered by County Commissioner Daniel Egbert, who lives nearby, and who was awakened by the reflection of the flames.

Mr. Egbert led a party of farm hands to the scene of the fire, but it was doomed to destruction before they arrived. The house was valued at about $600, and is a complete loss to the owner, who carried no insurance.

The general theory throughout the neighborhood is that the fire was caused by tramps, who had taken refuge in the house for the night.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank Building.

York Place is Cleaned

The reinforced city work gang finished the cleaning of York Place Thursday evening, making an excellent job of it. The gang was put to work Friday morning removing debris from the flood zone in Slabtown. The gang consisted of seven Slabtowners, as many Bucktowners and two Austrians, all in charge of Lou Thomann, assistant city service director.

High School Raided And Money Taken

School authorities are puzzled over the numerous robberies of the past few weeks. On the heels of the robbery of the Union street building Tuesday evening came the report Thursday that the high school building had been broken into Wednesday evening. In each instance, the robbers are unknown.

Thirty dollars in cash was stolen from the desk of the principal, Prof. J. D. Creveling, while Supt. Appel's desk was broken into and a small amount of money stolen. The money taken from Prof. Creveling's desk represented voluntary subscriptions from the student body to be used in paying subscriptions to magazines for the high school library.

Will Hold A Smoker

At the meeting of Massie Lodge Knights of Pythias No. 115 Thursday night arrangements were made to hold a smoker at the next meeting. There was a splendid attendance last night and short talks were made by Mack Joynes, J. Q. Payne and Edward Akers.

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Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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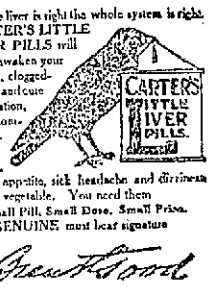

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WOMAN ALLEGES BRUTE MADE ATTACK ON HER

Ironton, O., Feb. 12—For an assault with intent to rape, alleged to have been committed upon Miss Anna Grayman, a domestic at the home of A. H. Tollman, at Kelly's bridge, this county, John Kelley, a farm-hand, aged 49, married, and the father of six children, was arrested last night by Constable Brannigan and Deputy Sheriff Hutchinson, on a warrant sworn out in Squire Neal's court Thursday morning by Miss Grayman. Kelley was lodged in the county jail and will likely be arraigned in Squire Neal's court today.

Miss Grayman declared that on Wednesday, while Mr. and Mrs. Tallman were in this city, disposing of their farm, Kelley came to the house and attempted to criminally assault her, but her extraordinary strength prevented. She escaped from him and ran to the home of a neighbor.

Miss Grayman is the daughter of Ben Grayman, a blind man, of Vesuvius, and a great deal of feeling has been aroused over the incident among the farmers. Kelley resides at Horse Shoe Bend and was working as a farmhand on the Tallman farm when the assault is alleged to have occurred.

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WATCH FOR UNIFORMS

At the meeting of the I. O. O. F. Canton Orient No. 67 held Thursday night the patriarch militant degree was conferred on one candidate, Willard Beekman. The degree team will wear its new uniforms at the next meeting.

Suffered Stroke

The Ironton Register says concerning the illness of Rev. Patrick Henry:

"The many friends of Rev. Patrick Henry will be grieved to learn that he was stricken with a paralytic stroke last evening at his home on Upper Third street, a short distance below Ice Creek bridge. Apparently Rev. Henry has been in fairly good health and was down in the city Tuesday meeting friends. The stroke has affected his leg, arm and side although his attending physician, Dr. Dan Gray reports him bearing up well and is conscious. Rev. Henry has almost reached his eightieth mile stone and has been in the ministry close to fifty years. The Register with his numerous and esteemed friends regret to hear of his sad misfortune."

Women's Black Cashmere Gloves full leather faced. Special 25c. Bragdon's. adv 12-1

May Not Live

Mrs. Mary Woodruff, aged 86, years, who slipped and fell on the kitchen floor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Heid, of Sixthteenth and Findlay streets a few nights ago, fracturing her hip, is not expected to live. She is the widow of the late Isnac Woodruff, a pioneer Portsmouth blacksmith.

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RIVER NEWS

(Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.)

Portsmouth, O., Feby. 12, 1915.

	Flood Stage Feet	Height of River Ft.	Change since last report	Precipitation in last 24 hours
Franklin	15	3.6 R	-0.1	.04
Greensboro	18	8.3 F	-0.1	00
Pittsburgh	22	5.2 F	-0.4	00
Wheeling	36	10.3 F	-1.0	00
Zanesville	25	12.5 R	-0.1	.01
Parkersb'g	36	12.7 F	-2.3	00
Charleston	30	6.1 F	-0.4	00
Pt. Pleasant	39	18.6 F	-1.7	00
Catlettsb'g	50	26.0 F	-6.1	00
Portsmouth	50	30.6 F	-6.7	00
Cincinnati	50	40.8 F	-5.8	00

Unsettled over upper Ohio valley tonight and Saturday, with probably rain.

River will fall.

FORECAST
H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river continues falling from headwaters down. The stage here Friday morning at 7 o'clock was 30.6 ft. Saturday's packet departures: Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m. The steamer City of Parkersburg which has laid up at Cincinnati for machinery repairs will, it is said, be sold to a new company which is to enter the Cincinnati-Pittsburgh trade.

JR. O. U. A. M. MEETING

One candidate, Edward Martin, was initiated into the mysteries of the Jr. O. U. A. M. at the weekly meeting of the lodge Thursday evenin. The initiatory ceremonies were witnessed by a large crowd.

Owing to the success that attended the "Charity Social" a few evenings ago, it was decided to hold another one during the month of March. A big feature of the entertainment will be a mock initiation, which will be put on for the edification and pleasure of the guests.

No job too small. No contract too large. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Afro-American League Reverence Memory Of Great Emancipator

Portsmouth's colored folk crowded the A. I. U. hall Thursday night, gathering there to reverence the memory and to recall the many brilliant deeds of one of America's most beloved presidents and statesmen, Abraham Lincoln, whose one hundred and sixth birthday anniversary will be celebrated today, Friday, February 12, in practically every American city.

Professional men, business men, finance kings, mechanics, laborers and school children paid tribute to Abraham Lincoln today.

The exercises held last night were conducted under the auspices of the newly formed Afro-American League of this city and a program distinctly patriotic in flavor was rendered in commemoration of this God-fearing man Lincoln was extolled, commended and reverenced in song and in an oratorical way. John Evans, who was largely instrumental in forming this league, acted as chairman of the meeting.

The program was opened by a selection by the Lewis band under the leadership of Edward Walton. This was followed by the invocation delivered by Rev. Grant Metcalfe. The band then rendered a stirring selection.

Lincoln's famous proclamation was then read in an effective manner by William E. Gooden. He was followed by Garrett Starks, who sang a solo. He was followed by Lawrence Johnson, who delivered an address on "Lincoln As President." The Hamilton Jubilee Singers then rendered one of their best songs and they were followed by James Melvin, who told about "Lincoln As A Citizen." The band then rendered another selection and this was followed by a solo rendered by Seymour Payne.

William E. Haley then delivered an address on "Lincoln As A Statesman," which was followed by John Richardson, who sang a solo. Rev. John Irvin, pastor of the Allen Chapel, was not on the gram, but when called on for a short talk he extolled Lincoln as a citizen, statesman and president in a most effective manner.

Chairman John Evans then delivered his address on Lincoln. Mr. Evans said in part:

The League stands for the advancement of the science of political economy, the propagation of higher principals of the negro citizenship of Portsmouth, the promotion of friendly and social relations among their race and a better and more convenient discharge of the other duties that are connected therewith and for the just recognition that they are entitled to.

The object of the League, will be to bring about a better acquaintance with the paramount as well as potent matters which are indeed most salient to them as a race of people at this time.

This League shall be known as the Portsmouth Afro-American League of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

It is fitting and proper that the Afro-American League assemble here this evening on the eve of the anniversary of the birth of one of America's greatest statesman living or dead.

Abraham Lincoln was born in Larcu county, Kentucky, February 12th, 1809; and was shot by a play actor named John Wilkes Booth on the eve of April 14th, 1865. He departed this life the next morning, April 15th, without a sign of recognition or a parting word to the friends who watched so anxiously by his side.

This man Lincoln was an upright, godly man, a patriotic citizen, "With malice towards none, with charity for all". Lincoln has departed to the chilly waves of Jordan, but his character and sentiments will forever live. Lincoln, on the anniversary of Washington's birthday, stopped at Philadelphia February 22nd, 1861, to raise the flag over Independence Hall. His message to his countrymen then almost gave promise to the future of Afro-Americans, in this Christian nation of people.

Read Lincoln's closing words in the light of past history. They are as follows:

"We are not enemies, but friends. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory stretching from every battlefield and patriotic grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union, when again touch, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nation."

Martin Luther says: "By faith the just shall live". I, having abiding faith in God, believe that the time is not distant when God is going to uplift some white-hope not in the pugilistic reign nor on the battlefields of Carnage, but in the pulpit, as Henry Ward Beecher in his day, in the legal fraternity as Wendell Phillips, Salmon P. Chase, William Lloyd Garrison, in the political arena, as Charles Sumner or Joshua Giddon, in the Women's Federation, as Harriet Beecher Stowe.

In the White House, the nation beckons for a second Lincoln. Great men are the instruments of God. They are his voice to the suffering, his shield to the oppressed.

BIBLE CLASS DECIDES TO HELP

The John E. Williams Bible Class at its monthly business session Thursday night decided to assist in the reception and entertainment of visiting laymen at the big banquet to be held at the Second Presbyterian church on "Washington's Birthday." The class also decided to hold its annual banquet the latter part of March or the beginning of April.

Attention S. O. V.

Headquarters Vienna Camp S. of V. No. 26, Ohio Div.

All members of Vienna Camp are urged to meet at G. A. R. hall, Gallia and Findlay streets at 7 sharp this (Friday) evening, to march with Bailey Post G. A. R. and participate in the patriotic observance of Lincoln Day at high school auditorium. Members are asked to wear regulation badge. Drum Corps report early.

GEO. S. CARROLL, Sec. JOHN B. SKELTON, Com.

MANY COMPLAINTS MADE ABOUT DOGS

Numerous complaints were received at police headquarters regarding dogs Thursday evening.

Word came from the West End that a do gon Third street showed symptoms of rabies. Officer George Harding fired one shot at the dog but it escaped. Police were notified that two dogs had been penned up at No. 1404 Findlay street and that the owner desired an officer to shoot them. Complaint was also received about two dogs at Front and Waller streets barking constantly at night and disturbing residents of that vicinity.

SIGN OF SPRING

All doubt as to the general belief that an early spring was removed this drab, gloomy Friday when Davy Jones, confirmed disciple of Izaak Walton, hied himself to Millbrook to entice a perfectly sane and reasonable bass from the somewhat muddied waters of the Millbrook lake.

"It is ruffled just a little, but I believe I can haul in a bass," said Davy while in the Hammer Club, Friday.

When he exhibited a "wahbler" he was promptly called down by President Henry Faivre, who accused Davy of being a pot fisherman.

Ironton Co. Is Winner

Chicago, Feb. 12.—It is announced that the Ironton Cement company has been adjudged the lowest bidder for 60,000 barrels of Portland cement to be used in the construction of an Ohio river dam near Maysville, Ky.

Probing Complaints

Judging from the character of some of the witnesses the grand jury is investigating complaints against some saloon men.

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Sues For Damages

Suit for $300 damages was filed in Squire A. J. Finney's court Thursday afternoon by Attorney F. T. Moreland, representing Elbert McKinley Johnson, a minor, through his uncle and next friend, John Osborne, against James Maxwell, of this city. The suit is based on alleged personal injuries sustained by the defendant while in Maxwell's employ.

The petition alleges that young Johnson on September 24, 1913, while employed in making repairs to the Maxwell Flats on Gallia street, was instructed by Maxwell to knock off a supporting brace to the floor.

In complying with the order the petition states that he stepped on a rotten board which gave way and precipitated him to the cellar below, breaking his arm and causing other bodily injuries. Negligence on the part of Maxwell is alleged by the defendant, who seeks $300 damages.

A former city official declares that the willows that line the river bank along York Place are ruining the grade causing an eddy to form just below the park. He thinks no better move could be made than cut down all of the willows and keep the river bank clear of them.

Finger Mashed

Charles Billian, who resides at 911 Chillicothe street, had the index finger of his right hand mashed and broken Wednesday while at work in the plant of the Selby Shoe Company. He operates a "breasting" machine and one of the cutters in it struck the finger, according to Mr. Billian, who was reported doing nicely Friday. His finger was dressed by Dr. J. W. Fitch and Dr. C. W. Wendelken.

Will Open Harris House

John Parkison is putting in his spare time at the Biggs House putting up tables and other new furnishings for the Harris house, which he will assume charge May 1.

Early Showing Of SPRING GOODS

Fancy 22-inch Silk Messaline in Pique Stripes at, per yard 75c

Messaline Silk, Pique Stripes, 36 inches wide in Navy, Green and Black-White, at per yard $1.00

New Messaline Silk, 36 inches wide in all colors, special values at, per yard $1.00

Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide, White and colors at, per yard $1.25

Fancy Silk Poplins in plain and fancy, 24 and 36 inches wide, per yard 50c, 75c and $1

Rajah Silks, 36 inches wide in Tan and Dark Grey at, per yard 69c

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Cleveland Team To Play Here In April

Portsmouth fans are to be treated to some big league baseball early in April, according to an announcement Friday of President William N. Gableman, who has booked the Cleveland American League club for games at Millbrook park, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, April 10, 11, and 12. One section of the Indians will stop off here on their way north from their southern training trip, which will be made up of some of the old regulars and a few of the more promising youngsters.

President Gableman has received assurance that Pitchers Carter, Hofler, Tedrow and Jones, and Outfielder Billy Southworth will be in the group that stop here. As all of these players were former Portsmouth favorites, they are sure to receive a royal welcome from the local fans.

President Gableman also stated that the games would be played regardless of whether or not the local Ohio State League club will have reported by that time. In the latter event, a strong team will be recruited from among the minor league players wintering in Portsmouth and neighboring towns.

CRUM AND MEYERS GO TO TEXAS LEAGUE

President William Gableman of the local State League baseball club, Friday announced the sale of Pitchers Crum and Meyers to the San Antonio club of the Texas League.

The sale price was not made public, but it is understood that the local club will have first claim on their services should they fail to make good. They will be teammates again of John Haggah and Jimmy Edwards, and possibly Irish Caswell, all of whom were sold to San Antonio by the local club earlier in the winter.

JOHNSON IS CHESTY

There is no use making a bet on the Johnson-Willard fight unless you bet that Johnson will win by a knockout according to Johnson's way of looking at the fight. Johnson says he will win inside of ten rounds, and it will be a clean knockout. So there!

NEW TOWNS TO MAKE UP VIRGINIA LEAGUE

Lynchburg, Va., Feb. 11.—That old Virginia League is going to hit the high places and come down with many a reverberating bound next season, when the circuit, composed of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Petersburg, Newport News, Suffolk and Rocky Mount N. C., tries to weather the storms which inevitably will blow up, is the belief expressed by many fans who are intimately familiar with the conditions under which the organization will operate.

The Portsmouth Club is in bad shape, it is reported, and something like $5,000 was cast to the four winds last season in a futile attempt to gather together a mediocre team of players.

CLARKE IN THE FOLD

Tom Clarke has signed a Cincinnati contract. He wanted to be traded to an Eastern team, but Herzog blocked the deal and Clarke must return to Redland.

CARTER HAS SIGNED

The signed contract of George W. Carter, of Lake Park, Fla., brother of Nick Carter, a member of the local club last season, has been received by the management of the Portsmouth Ohio State League club; and he will be among the youngsters to report here for spring practice. Young Carter is a first sacker, and measures six feet, three inches, in his stocking feet. Local club officials expect him to fill the shoes of Jimmy Edwards, who advanced to faster company last fall.

President Gableman is in receipt of a letter from Nick Carter in which he asks to be remembered to his many friends in this city. He is wintering in Lake Park, and is having a great time hunting, fishing and playing baseball.

TO FIGHT IN MILWAUKEE

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Articles were signed here today for a ten round match between Charlie White, of Chicago, and Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champion, to be decided in Milwaukee on Feb. 25. They agreed to weigh 135 pounds at 2 o'clock. It will be their second meeting, the first having resulted in a draw.

REFUSE TO SIGN

Three veterans of last years Portsmouth baseball club have sent back their unsigned contracts to the local club, being dissatisfied with the terms offered. They are Catcher Dillhoefer, Pitcher-Outfielder Hiltz, and Shortstop Emery. President Gableman expects all three of them to report when the bell tops this spring.

FEDS ARE ACTIVE

Youngstown, O., Feb. 12.—Representatives of President Gilmore, of the Federal League, attempted today to secure a lease on Wright Field, a site this city is to be included in a proposed Federal League farm circuit, made up of Erie, Akron, Canton, Zanesville, Newark and Youngstown.

At Boucher, last year third baseman for the St. Louis outlaw team, Promoter Page said, will be the manager of the local club.

At Wolgast has two fights in Milwaukee. Ad is fighting with one hand these days, his right mit being on the blink.

BOY SCOUT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
West End	7	1	.875
Covenanters	7	1	.875
Tigers	3	5	.375
Bigelow	3	5	.375
C. C. C.	3	5	.375
Crackshots	1	7	.125

Special Anniversary Games.

The Boy Scout basketball league schedule provides some crackerjack games for Saturday, and these games being the special anniversary series will make them doubly interesting. The schedule for Saturday afternoon is as follows:

Crackshots vs. Tigers.
Bigelow vs. West End.
C. C. C. vs. Covenanters.

There is some lively fight on now for first and second place. The West Enders and the Covenanters are tied for first place, and the Tigers, Bigelow and C. C. C.'s are in a tie for the second rung. The Stunt Night games were fast and interesting, but the boys are expecting even better games on tomorrow, as the teams who meet are more evenly matched.

The Covenanters, who are making such a strong bid for the pennant, will play the fast troop 3 tonight at the First Presbyterian gym, as a preliminary work-out for tomorrow's games, when they meet one of the hardest teams in the league to beat, the C. C. C.'s. The line-up for these two teams Saturday will be as follows:

Covenanters—Wilson, c; Dever and Fortner, forwards; Monk and Yaple, guards. C. C. C.'s—Ball, center; Doll and DeVoss, forwards; Dunn and Bryant, guards.

BASKETBALL RECORDS

Field Goals.

Fortner	10
Dever	15
Schrieck	20
Grice	25
Gims	15
Devoss	12
Gehres	12
Wilson	9
Kricker	8
A Doll	7
S. Dillon	7
Graf	6
Bromley	4
Ball	4
Hamilton	3
A. Yaple	3
Eisenaugle	2
T. Williams	2
L. Yaple	2
Crawford	2
Fogitt	1
W. Hopkins	1
H. Williams	1
Thomas	1
George	1
Scott	1
R. Hopkins	1
D. Dillon	1
Baker	1

Total Points.

Covenanters	187
West End	151
Crackshots	136
Bigelow	133
Tigers	66
C. C. C.	50
Crackshots	37

Total Fouls.

Covenanters	26
West End	30
Crackshots	36
Bigelow	52
C. C. C.	53
Tigers	58

Fouls.

Kricker	16
Gims	16
Gehres	15
Ball	14
Fogitt	12
A. Doll	12
Fortner	12
S. Dillon	11
Schrieck	10
A. Yaple	10
Graf	8
Bryant	8
W. Hopkins	7
Eisenaugle	7
Hudson	7
Hamilton	7
Dever	6
T. Williams	6
W. Monk	5
Breece	4
Tatman	4
O. Monk	4
L. Yaple	3
Selby	3
Davis	3
Dunn	3
Virgin	3
Baggs	2
George	2
R. Hopkins	2
Bromley	1
Wilson	1
Parker	1
Lakeman	1
Grice	1
D. Dillon	1
Mohl	1

Foul Goals.

	Made	Miss
Ball	2	1
Hamilton	7	4
George	1	1
Eisenaugle	5	4
Fortner	15	18
F. Dever	2	3
Bryant	2	3
A. Doll	3	6
Gims	7	10
A. Yaple	1	2
Baker	2	1
Graf	6	11
Grice	2	6
Devoss	2	6
Kricker	1	1
Gehres	1	6
H. Doll	0	6
Wilson	0	2
Parker	0	2
Schrieck	0	2
Crawford	0	2
Eppensteiner	0	1
R. Hopkins	0	1

SPORTLETS

It is said the Feds are after Willie Sister, former slugging third baseman of the Giants.

Larry Cheney is ready to join the Federals according to word sent out of Chicago.

"Bresnahan only has four men I would have" said Herzog Thursday when asked if he would pull off a trade with Bresnahan.

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Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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4 full qts. Kuemmel Whiskey ...$2.00
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4 full qts. Private Stock Bourbon ...$4.00
4 full qts. Macks Old Tar Bourbon ...$4.00
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DARING YOUTH ESCAPES OFFICER JOE STOKLEY

A Front street youth, whose name was not learned, was corralled at Third and Market street after he had stolen a dinner bucket and lantern from John Davisson, a B. & O. S.-W. yard engineer Friday morning about 5 o'clock only to escape later from Officer Joe Stokley.

When the officer and prisoner reached the alley adjacent to the Schuler hotel on Second street the latter suddenly pitched the bucket and lantern to the ground and bolted down the alley. Stokley pursued him a short distance but was unable to overtake him.

The bucket and lantern were brought to headquarters for safekeeping. The police have a good clue to the sneak thief's identity and expect to re-capture him sooner or later.

Renovating New Cafe

Albert Yuenger is renovating and improving the interior of the cafe he recently purchased from his brother, Ed Yuenger, at Second and Court streets.

George Hamm Was Witness

George Hamm, former policeman and at present deputy sheriff of Ross county, returned to Chillicothe Thursday evening having appeared before the grand jury and identified the goods stolen from the Alex Glockner hardware store and for which robbery Ed Kelly, a Detroit young man, is held.

House Is Burned

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Ben Fields home, located about one mile and a half north-east of Lucasville, shortly after midnight Thursday. The house was empty, and the fire had gained serious headway before it was discovered by County Commissioner Daniel Egbert, who lives nearby, and who was awakened by the reflection of the flames.

Mr. Egbert led a party of farm hands to the scene of the fire, but it was doomed to destruction before they arrived. The house was valued at about $600, and is a complete loss to the owner, who carried no insurance.

The general theory throughout the neighborhood is that the fire was caused by tramps, who had taken refuge in the house for the night.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank Building.

York Place Is Cleaned

The reinforced city work gang finished the cleaning of York Place Thursday evening, making an excellent job of it. The gang was put to work Friday morning removing debris from the dead zone in Shabtown. The gang consisted of seven Slabtowners, as many Bucktowners and two Austrians, all in charge of Lou Thomann, assistant city service director.

High School Raided And Money Taken

School authorities are puzzled over the numerous robberies of the past few weeks. On the heels of the robbery of the Union street building Tuesday evening came the report Thursday that the high school building had been broken into Wednesday evening. In each instance, the robbers are unknown.

Thirty dollars in cash was stolen from the desk of the principal, Prof. J. D. Creveling, while Supt. Appel's desk was broken into and a small amount of money stolen. The money taken from Prof. Creveling's desk represented voluntary subscriptions from the student body to be used in paying subscriptions to magazines for the high school library.

Will Hold A Smoker

At the meeting of Mussie Lodge Knights of Pythias No. 115 Thursday night arrangements were made to hold a smoker at the next meeting. There was a splendid attendance last night and short talks were made by Mack Joynes, J. Q. Payne and Edward Akers.

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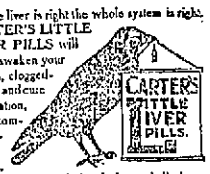

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WOMAN ALLEGES BRUTE MADE ATTACK ON HER

Ironton, O., Feb. 12—For an assault with intent to rape, alleged to have been committed upon Miss Anna Grayman, a domestic at the home of A. H. Tollman, at Kelly's bridge, this county, John Kelley, a farm-hand, aged 49, married, and the father of six children, was arrested last night by Constable Brannigan and Deputy Sheriff Hutchinson, on a warrant sworn out in Squire Neal's court Thursday morning by Miss Grayman. Kelley was lodged in the county jail and will likely be arraigned in Squire Neal's court today.

Miss Grayman declared that on Wednesday, while Mr. and Mrs. Tallman were in this city, disposing of their farm, Kelley came to the house and attempted to criminally assault her, but her extraordinary strength prevented. She escaped from him and ran to the home of a neighbor.

Miss Grayman is the daughter of Ben Grayman, a blind man, of Vesuvius, and a great deal of feeling has been aroused over the incident among the farmers. Kelley resides at Horse Shoe Bend and was working as a farmhand on the Tallman farm when the assault is alleged to have occurred.

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Quit blowing and sniffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken, will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

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"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only 25 cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.

IT TAKES THIS to induce a man to have his watch overhauled. He's got to drop it or put it definitely out of commission before he gives it any attention.

The month of February is a good time to have your watch overhauled. If is is a good watch it is worth taking care of. If it isn't, come in and we'll sell you a good one.

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WATCH FOR UNIFORMS

At the meeting of the I. O. O. F. Canton Orient No. 67 held Thursday night the patriarch militant degree was conferred on one candidate, Willard Beckman. The degree team will wear its new uniforms at the next meeting.

Suffered Stroke

The Ironton Register says concerning the illness of Rev. Patrick Henry:

"The many friends of Rev. Patrick Henry will be grieved to learn that he was stricken with a paralytic stroke last evening at his home on Upper Third street, a short distance below Ice Creek bridge. Apparently Rev. Henry has been in fairly good health and was down in the city Tuesday meeting friends. The stroke has affected his leg, arm and side although his attending physician, Dr. Dan Gray reports him hearing up well and is conscious. Rev. Henry has almost reached his eightieth mile stone and has been in the ministry close to fifty years. The Register with his numerous and esteemed friends regret to hear of his sad misfortune."

Women's Black Cashmere Gloves full leather faced. Special 25c. Bragden's. adv 12-1

May Not Live

Mrs. Mary Woodruff, aged 86, years, who slipped and fell on the kitchen floor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Heid, of Sixthteenth and Findlay streets a few nights ago, fracturing her hip, is not expected to live. She is the widow of the late Isaac Woodruff, a pioneer Portsmouth blacksmith.

Resinol

heals itching burning skins

WHAT relief! The first application of Resinol Ointment usually stops all itching and burning and makes your tortured skin feel cool and comfortable at last. Won't *you* try the easy Resinol way to heal eczema or similar skin eruption? Doctors have *prescribed* it for 20 years. Sold by all druggists.

Use Resinol Soap to clear a bad complexion.

CATARRH CAUSED BY A GERM

Must Be Destroyed Before Catarrh Itself Can Be Cured, Says Specialist. Wonderful Results From Breathing Medicated Air.

Medicine taken into the stomach will never cure catarrh. And neither will the sprays, douches, lotions, creams and other temporary relieffs that so many catarrh victims make a habit of using. To cure catarrh so it won't come back you must first drive from your body the millions of germs that are flourishing in the inner recesses of your nose and throat and are causing the disease.

There is a preparation which does this called Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mie). Hyomei is a germ killing vaporized air formed from the purest oil of Eucalyptus combined with other healing and antiseptic ingredients. You breathe Hyomei through the mouth and nose by means of a little hard rubber inhaler which druggists furnish with it. This medicated germicidal air penetrates into every fold and crevice of the mucous membrane of your nose and throat, kills the catarrh germs that lodge there, soothes, reduces and heals the swollen inflamed membranes, stops the discharge and opens up the clogged nose and air passages in a truly wonderful way. It gives blessed relief in five minutes from catarrhal distress of every kind and if you make a practice of breathing Hyomei for a few minutes each day for just a few weeks not only will all the symptoms of catarrh vanish but the disease itself will be a thing of the past. No one need try or buy Hyomei on pure faith. Worster Brothers, and many other leading druggists in Portsmouth and vicinity sell it with the positive guarantee that it must cure catarrh or that the money paid for it will be refunded. Hyomei is very inexpensive and with this protecting guarantee behind your purchase there is absolutely no reason why any sufferer from Catarrh should not give it a fair trial.

RIVER NEWS

(Observations taken at 5 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.)

Portsmouth, O., Feby. 12, 1915.

	Flood stage Feet	River rising or falling	Change since last report	Precipitation in last 24 hr. Inches
Franklin	15	3.6 R	-0.1	.04
Greensboro	18	8.3 F	-0.1	00
Pittsburgh	22	5.2 F	-0.4	00
Wheeling	36	10.3 F	-1.0	00
Zanesville	25	12.5 R	-0.1	.01
Parkersb'g	36	12.7 F	-2.3	00
Charleston	30	6.1 F	-0.4	00
Pt Pleasant	39	16.6 F	-4.7	00
Cattettsb'g	50	26.0 F	-6.1	00
Portsmouth	50	30.6 F	-6.7	00
Cincinnati	50	40.8 F	-5.8	00

Unsettled over upper Ohio valley tonight and Saturday, with probably rain.

River will fall.

FORECAST
H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river continues falling from headwaters down. The stage here Friday morning at 7 o'clock was 30.6 ft. Saturday's packet departures: Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m. The steamer City of Parkersburg which has laid up at Cincinnati for machinery repairs will, it is said, be sold to a new company which is to enter the Cincinnati-Pittsburgh trade.

JR. O. U. A. M. MEETING

One candidate, Edward Martin, was initiated into the mysteries of the Jr. O. U. A. M. at the weekly meeting of the lodge Thursday evenin. The initiatory ceremonies were witnessed by a large crowd.

Owing to the success that attended the "Charity Social" a few evenings ago, it was decided to hold another one during the month of March. A big feature of the entertainment will be a mock initiation, which will be put on for the edification and pleasure of the guests.

No job too small. No contract too large. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Afro-American League Reverence Memory Of Great Emancipator

Portsmouth's colored folk crowded the A. I. U. hall Thursday night, gathering there to reverence the memory and to recall the many brilliant deeds of one of America's most beloved presidents and statesmen, Abraham Lincoln, whose one hundred and sixth birthday anniversary will be celebrated today, Friday, February 12, in practically every American city.

Professional men, business men, finance kings, mechanics, laborers and school children paid tribute to Abraham Lincoln today.

The exercises held last night were conducted under the auspices of the newly formed Afro-American League of this city and a program distinctly patriotic in flavor was rendered in commemoration of this God-fearing man Lincoln was extolled, commended and reverenced in song and in an oratorical way. John Evans, who was largely instrumental in forming this league, acted as chairman of the meeting.

The program was opened by a selection by the Lewis band under the leadership of Edward Walton. This was followed by the invocation delivered by Rev. Grant Metcalfe. The band then rendered a stirring selection.

Lincoln's famous proclamation was then read in an effective manner by William E. Gooden. He was followed by Garrett Starks, who sang a solo. He was followed by Lawrence Johnson, who delivered an address on "Lincoln As President." The Hamilton Jubilee Singers then rendered one of their best songs and they were followed by James Melvin, who told about "Lincoln As A Citizen." The band then rendered another selection and this was followed by a solo rendered by Seymour Payne.

William E. Haley then delivered an address on "Lincoln As A Statesman," which was followed by John Richardson, who sang a solo. Rev. John Irvin, pastor of the Allen Chapel, was not on the gram, but when called on for a short talk he extolled Lincoln as a citizen, statesman and president in a most effective manner.

Chairman John Evans then delivered his address on Lincoln. Mr. Evans said in part:

The League stands for the advancement of the science of political economy, the propagation of higher principals of the negro citizenship of Portsmouth, the promotion of friendly and social relations among their race and a better and more convenient discharge of the other duties that are connected therewith and for the just recognition that they are entitled to.

The object of the League, will be to bring about a better acquaintance with the paramount as well as potent matters which are indeed most salient to them as a race of people at this time.

This League shall be known as the Portsmouth Afro-American League of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

It is fitting and proper that the Afro-American League assemble here this evening on the eve of the anniversary of the birth of one of America's greatest statesman living or dead.

Abraham Lincoln was born in Laren county, Kentucky, February 12th, 1809; and was shot by a play actor named John Wilkes Booth on the eve of April 14th, 1865. He departed this life the next morning, April 15th, without a sign of recognition or a parting word to the friends who watched so anxiously by his side.

This man Lincoln was an upright, godly man, a patriotic citizen, "With malice towards none, with charity for all". Lincoln has departed to the chilly waves of Jordan, but his character and sentiments will forever live. Lincoln, on the anniversary of Washington's birthday, stopped at Philadelphia February 22nd, 1861, to raise the flag over Independence Hall. His message to his countrymen then almost gave promise to the future of Afro-Americans, in this Christian nation of people.

Read Lincoln's closing words in the light of past history. They are as follows:

"We are not enemies, but friends. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory stretching from every battlefield and patriotic grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union, when again touch, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nation."

Martin Luther says: "By faith the just shall live". I, having abiding faith in God, believe that the time is not distant when God is going to uplift some white-hope not in the pugilistic reign nor on the battlefields of Carnage, but in the pulpit, as Henry Ward Beecher in his day, in the legal fraternity as Wendell Phillips, Salmon P. Chase, William Lloyd Garrison, in the political arena, as Charles Sumner or Joshua Giddings, in the Women's Federation, as Harriet Beecher Stowe.

In the White House, the nation beckons for a second Lincoln. Great men are the instruments of God. They are his voice to the suffering, his shield to the oppressed.

BIBLE CLASS DECIDES TO HELP

The John E. Williams Bible Class at its monthly business session Thursday night decided to assist in the reception and entertainment of visiting laymen at the big banquet to be held at the Second Presbyterian church on "Washington's Birthday." The class also decided to hold its annual banquet the latter part of March or the beginning of April.

Attention S. O. V.

Headquarters Vienna Camp S. of V. No. 26, Ohio Div.

All members of Vienna Camp are urged to meet at G. A. R. hall, Gallia and Findlay streets at 7 sharp this (Friday) evening, to march with Bailey Post G. A. R. and participate in the patriotic observance of Lincoln Day at high school auditorium. Members are asked to wear regulation badge. Drum Corps report early.

GEO. S. CARROLL, Sec. JOHN R. SKELTON, Com.

MANY COMPLAINTS MADE ABOUT DOGS

Numerous complaints were received at police headquarters regarding dogs Thursday evening.

Word came from the West End that a do gon Third street showed symptoms of rabies. Officer George Harding fired one shot at the dog but it escaped. Police were notified that two dogs had been penned up at No. 1404 Findlay street and that the owner desired an officer to shoot them. Complaint was also received about two dogs at Front and Waller streets barking constantly at night and disturbing residents of that vicinity.

SIGN OF SPRING

All doubt as to the general belief that an early spring was removed this drab, gloomy Friday when Davy Jones, confirmed disciple of Izaak Walton, hied himself to Millbrook to entice a perfectly sane and reasonable bass from the somewhat muddied waters of the Millbrook lake.

"It is ruffled just a little, but I believe I can haul in a bass," said Davy while in the Hammer Club, Friday.

When he exhibited a "wobbler" he was promptly called down by President Henry Faivre, who accused Davy of being a pot fisherman.

Ironton Co. Is Winner

Chicago, Feb. 12.—It is announced that the Ironton Cement company has been adjudged the lowest bidder for 60,000 barrels of Portland cement to be used in the construction of an Ohio river dam near Maysville, Ky.

Probing Complaints

Judging from the character of some of the witnesses the grand jury is investigating complaints against some saloon men.

Repair work our specialty. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Order a sack from your grocer today.
Coburn Bros., Distributors.

Sues For Damages

Suit for $300 damages was filed in Squire A. J. Finney's court Thursday afternoon by Attorney F. T. Moreland, representing Elbert McKinley Johnson, a minor, through his uncle and next friend, John Osborne, against James Maxwell, of this city. The suit is based on alleged personal injuries sustained by the defendant while in Maxwell's employ.

The petition alleges that young Johnson on September 24, 1912, while employed in making repairs to the Maxwell Flats on Gallia street, was instructed by Maxwell to knock off a supporting brace to the floor.

In complying with the order the petition states that he stepped on a rotten board which gave way and precipitated him to the cellar below, breaking his arm and causing other bodily injuries. Negligence on the part of Maxwell is alleged by the defendant, who seeks $300 damages.

A former city official declares that the willows that line the river bank along York Place are ruining the grade causing an eddy to form just below the park. He thinks no better move could be made than cut down all of the willows and keep the river bank clear of them.

Finger Mashed

Charles Billian, who resides at 911 Chillicothe street, had the index finger of his right hand mashed and broken Wednesday while at work in the plant of the Selby Shoe Company. He operates a "breasting" machine and one of the cutters in it struck the finger, according to Mr. Billian, who was reported doing nicely Friday. His finger was dressed by Dr. J. W. Fitch and Dr. C. W. Wendelken.

Will Open Harris House

John Parkison is putting in his spare time at the Biggs House putting up tables and other new furnishings for the Harris house which he will assume charge May 1.

Early Showing Of SPRING GOODS

Fancy 22-inch Silk Messaline in Pique Stripes at, per yard 75c

Messaline Silk, Pique Stripes, 36 inches wide in Navy, Green and Black-White, at per yard $1.00

New Messaline Silk, 36 inches wide in all colors, special values at, per yard $1.00

Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide, White and colors at, per yard $1.25

Fancy Silk Poplins in plain and fancy, 24 and 36 inches wide, per yard 50c, 75c and $1

Rajah Silks, 36 inches wide in Tan and Dark Grey at, per yard 69c

All Wool Gaberdines, 52 inches wide, Black and Colors, per yard $1.50

Pongee Linens, 27 inches wide, all colors, regular 35c values per yard 25c

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Have You A Want---Fill It With A Times Want

The Newark

The new Military Boot for men, made on the latest English last of dull glove calf, low, flat heel, battleship gray cloth top, dull leather, lace stay.

If you want one of the early Spring styles right up to the minute, better look this shoe over.

Hip Boots — Frank J. Baker — Storm Boots
THE SLEEPLESS SHOEMAN

Take Medicine Put Up By A Careful Druggist Only

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Burglars Ransack The Becker Home

Chief McCarty is investigating the various phases of the robbery and it is not unlikely that an arrest will soon be made. The thief left the imprint of his shoes in the soft ground near the window through which he climbed and these tracks may prove the undoing of the guilty party. A foot print was also plainly visible on the table on which the thief stepped after climbing through the window.

Burglars ransacked the home of Russell Becker, assistant treasurer of the Kentucky Fire Brick company, at No. 1722 Grant street from top to bottom Thursday evening, evidently in search of money, but in this must have been disappointed for they obtained but a small amount of change.

Besides the little amount of money secured the robbers took a couple of pieces of jewelry belonging to Mrs. Becker, who is visiting in Texas. A pocket book belonging to Mr. Becker's mother, Mrs. Anna Becker, was taken from a dresser drawer, rifled of its contents, then thrown on the floor.

The robbery was discovered by Mr. Becker's mother when she returned to the home about 8 o'clock. She found the house in a topsy-turvey state and a rear door open. Mr. Becker arrived there later. Firemen from the Hilltop engine house and police were soon on the scene and began an investigation. Muddy footprints around the kitchen table caused the belief that entrance must have been gained through a kitchen window.

The robbery is thought to have been the work of amateurs and as the police have a good clue some arrests may follow. The Roy Lynn blood hounds would have been used in trailing the robbers but they happened to have been taken out of the city Thursday evening.

A couple of men were reported seen loitering about the vicinity of the home earlier in the evening. One of the robbers in feeling about the buffet got his fingers into a bowl of jelly and wiped his hand free of it by rubbing it against a wall.

The Movies

"False Colors" Paramount Picture Columbia Tonight

"False Colors," another masterpiece from the pen of Lois Weber (Mrs. Phillips Smalley), and produced under the personal attention of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Smalley, is the Paramount attraction at the Columbia this evening. It is a story, unusual in construction, as well as strong in dramatic action, and is an interesting four-reel drama revolving around the life and tragedy of the theatre, and is notable not only for the ingenuity of the plot, but for the sincerity and strength of its character.

This story is so named for the paramount reason that practically every character of prominence is sailing under false colors. Even the principal man, Lloyd Phillips, in his desire to be true to a sacred memory, overlooks the most vital principal of life—his love for his child.

One remarkable feature in this play is the scenes laid in a mammoth metropolitan theatre where twelve hundred extra actors are employed.

The cast is one of the best yet used in Paramount productions and includes such stars as Lois Weber, Phillips Smalley, Adele Farrington, Courtney Foote, Dixie Carr and a host of others prominent in theatrical circles.

Manager Tynes announces that tomorrow afternoon for the benefit of the children, he will show the local pictures of the new Lincoln school with all the teachers and scholars leaving the building, also the pictures of the motorcycle sleds which you saw upon the streets during the last snowy spell. These pictures will be shown in addition to a good program of three reels. They will also be repeated on Monday, both afternoon and evening, in addition to the regular program.

Lyric Features Tonight

"Two Women," a picture you will never forget; a strong tale of deep human interest that will cut its way to your heart like a knife. Anita Stewart and Julia Swayne Gordon play the leads in roles that afford them unusual opportunity for the display of real talent, one as wise as a serpent, the other as harmless as a dove. The charms of one lead men to death and despair; the charms of the other lead to love and happiness.

William Farnum in Wilson Barrett's world-famed drama, "The Sign of the Cross," an impressive feature film production of unusual importance and power is the Famous Players-Paramount five part adaptation of Wilson Barrett's supreme dramatic triumph, "The Sign of the Cross," coming to the Lyric next Tuesday.

The subject is an elaborate version of Wilson Barrett's wonderful popular drama which has stirred the emotions of every civilized race throughout the world for many years.

Comparison, at least as regards settings and scenic effects, must necessarily be instituted between this and other plays previously produced dealing with the same characters and period, and it must be truthfully said that the value of the present production is greatly enhanced by such a comparison, and while it loses nothing in elaboration of detail, it has the advantage of a story which has so firmly established itself in the favor of the public.

The part of Marcus Superbus, the dominant character in the powerful play, is impressively portrayed by William Farnum, one of the foremost actors of classical roles on the American stage, who is eminently fitted for the part in "The Sign of the Cross." A notable cast has been selected in his support, and hundreds of supers, a series of overwhelmingly beautiful settings and a tableaux of effectively dramatic scenes further aid the production in being one of the most exceptional film subjects ever offered. The degree of power and emotional appeal of the drama is almost immeasurable, and it should exert a tremendous effect upon the feelings of all audiences that witness it. The subject can be safely termed one of the greatest photo-spectacles ever screened.

At The Temple

"The Deadly Spark," a Kay-Bee, is at the Temple theater tonight. The daughter of a rich family marries a man against her father's wishes who turns out to be a gambler and from gambler to crook, and then meets death. The picture is a very pleasing offering, interesting in its entirety, and acted well with Rhena Mitchell, Elizabeth Burbridge and Wm. S. Hart. The third and fourth reels are a Keystone comedy entitled "A Dark Lover's Play."

At The Exhibit

An exceptionally large program will be shown at the Exhibit tonight. The leader is a two reel picture entitled "Sir Galahad of Twilight." Another is a Keystone comedy; "Shot In The Excitement." A Majestic film is entitled "In Wild Man's Land." All of these pictures are unusually good. The program is really a bargain one. The entire evening's entertainment will be sensational, dramatic and thrilling.

Saturday's picture will be a three reel drama entitled "The Mariner's Compass."

Entertains Friends

Mrs. G. W. Banks, of East Eleventh street, entertained a few friends yesterday in honor of the 80th birthday anniversary of Mr. Henry Johnson. A splendid supper was served.

See the Reo Automobile at Stahler's. adv 10-3

ARE YOU STRONG ENOUGH TO WORK?

Mrs. Hubbard Tells How Vinol the Famous Cod Liver and Iron Tonic Built Her up and Made Her Strong.

Covington, Ky.—"I was in a general run-down condition and suffered from a bad cough. I have a family of four, and after working for a while around the house I would get so tired I would have to sit down and rest, and sometimes it seemed as though my back would break.

"I tried cod liver oil emulsions and other remedies but did not seem to get any help. Finally one day I saw Vinol advertised and tried it. I soon noticed a decided improvement, and now it has built up my health and strength."—Mrs. Alex. Hubbard, Covington, Ky.

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In a natural manner this delicious cod liver and iron tonic creates a hearty appetite, aids digestion, makes pure, healthy blood and thus creates strength for the run-down and debilitated. We have never sold in our store a more dependable remedy for coughs, colds and bronchitis than Vinol.

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AND MADAME—Without exception—former years—this year—and in years to come—the values offered at the prices dictated have never and never will be duplicated.
"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE"—An old saying, and true. We have changed it to "A purchase at the right time saves many stitches and many dollars."

106 Years Ago
ABRAHAM LINCOLN WAS BORN

His work during his lifetime has been a model for all America, and many who have followed his example have attained the greatest success. One of his most famous utterances, in which he said: "You may fool some of the people all the time, and all the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time," has been an excellent admonition to business men throughout the country, and one and all have found it the best policy never to fool any of the people any of the time. Our belief in this rule is absolute.

Ladies' Embroidery and Lace Trimmed Gowns, cut very full ten different styles, 69c and 75c values. Sale price 45c

15 styles of the very best Dollar Night Gowns, elaborately trimmed; some are high neck, long sleeves; others are empire effects and slip-ons. Sale price 69c

Men's and Boys' Night Shirts, made of very fine muslin, cut full; all sizes up to 20. Sale price 45c

$1.25 Gowns, high neck, long sleeves, embroidery trimmed. Sale price 96c

Children's Night Gowns, low neck, short sleeves, embroidery trimmed, beaded with silk ribbon, 50c value, sizes up to 18. Sale price 42c

Final Slash on Suits!
Your unrestricted choice of any Winter Suit in our store **$8.47**
Values up to $35.00. We have about 40 Suits yet.

LADIES' GOWNS, made of fine soft Cambric, lace trimmed, 50c value. Sale price 25c

SALE STARTS SATURDAY AT 8:30 A. M.

NOTHING EVER LIKE IT
WHITE WAISTS, worth up to $1.50, in neat, attractive styles; sizes 34 to 44. Sale price 89c

$1.00 Waists, corded crepe, Marseilles collar and cuffs. Sale price 75c

Slightly soiled Ladies' Waists, tan collar and cuffs, and a few embroidery trimmed Blouses, sizes 34 and 36 only. Sale price 29c

Open front Brassieres in lace and embroidery trimmed; the best value you have ever seen at 75c. Sale price 48c

Odds and ends of $1.50, $1.00 and $2.00 Corsets, some front lace; not all sizes in every style, but nearly all sizes in all styles combined. Sale price 69c

Good 50c Corsets; four strong supporters. They are going during this White Sale at the sale price of 35c

$1.50 Kabo Corsets; new spring models. Sale price $1 29

Ladies' Muslin Drawers with deep embroidery flounce, the best 39c value ever advertised. Sale price 25c

50c Ladies' Pants, open or closed, dainty embroidery. Sale price 48c

Ladies' Muslin Pants, hemstitched ruffle. Sale price 15c

White Linen Table Cloths, hemmed, ready for use; 2 yards long; should sell at $1.25. Sale price 98c

Pink and Blue Princess Slips, positive 98c values; broken sizes. Price 53c

White Bed Spreads that usually sell at $1.00. Sale price 69c

Scalloped and Hemstitched Sheets, size 81x90, $1 value. Sale price 69c

REAL BARGAINS IN STOUT SIZES

We are making a specialty of the "Mildred" Stout Muslin Garments. They are cut especially for stout women over patterns especially drafted for stout people. Every seam is reinforced where the strain is greatest. During our sale we offer the following bargains to introduce them:

CORSET COVERS FOR STOUT WOMEN
Sizes range from 45 to 51. You who have had trouble in getting the right size will appreciate these for only 48c

Gowns made for stout women. You have heard that so often, but these are the real thing for 98c

White Underskirts made for stouts—cut right—best of materials, neatly trimmed for only 98c

Extra size Drawers, built for stout ladies, cut and made accordingly. Sale price only 29c

Extra size Drawers, designed and made for stouts, cut full and neatly trimmed, best value you ever saw at 48c

WE'RE STILL ADVERTISING
Your choice of any Silk Dress in our store (values up to $16.50.) Sale price $6.39

Your choice of any set of Furs in our store at ONE-HALF PRICE
Beautiful Minks, Red Foxes, Lynxes, Wolfs, O'Possums, waiting here for you to take them home at one-half price.

Your unrestricted choice of any Winter Coat in our store $10.00

Your choice of any Winter Skirt in our store (values up to $12.50) for only $5.98

Ladies' Astrakan Coats, 54 inches long, lined with good sateen. Most stores would sell 'em as $10.00. Our price was $6.50, but the sale price is $2.98

Silk Dresses worth up to $12.50 in Foulards, Messaline, etc. Price $2.98

See that rack of Skirts with values up to $8 on it, that we must sell at only $2.98

PETTICOAT SPECIALS
Staple White Petticoats, good long cloth, neat embroidered flounce, $1.00 value. Sale price 89c

$1.00 Petticoats, embroidery and lace flounces, very classy; some double panels among them. Sale price 69c

Beautiful White Nainsook Petticoats, wide embroidery flounce, trimmed with 2-inch silk ribbon; should sell at $2.00. Sale price $1.50

$3.00 beautiful White Petticoats, dainty white embroidery flounce. Sale price only $1.98

Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, large for size. Sale price 10c

Large Fringed or Scalloped Bed Spreads cut corners, $1.50 value. Sale price $1.10

59c Chemises, embroidery yokes and silk ribbon beading. Sale price 39c

98c Chemises, good nainsook, embroidery yoke. Sale price 79c

THE ATLAS COMPANY
603 CHILLICOTHE STREET

BEAUTIFUL CORSET COVERS
that should sell at 39c; trimmed with embroidery and Valenciennes lace and beaded with silk ribbon. Sale price 25c

Schools Pay Tribute To Lincoln's Memory

The birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, the martyred president, was fittingly observed in the public and parochial schools of Portsmouth Friday. In almost every room, a program commemorating the memory of the Great Emancipator was given, while references to his life and deeds were made the most important feature of the day's work.

The month of February in the public schools is devoted in a large degree to a study of the lives of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday anniversaries occur during that month, and especial attention is given to the study of their lives upon their respective natal days.

Deal Made By Shonkwiler

Henry Pyles disposed of his new two story six room house on Nineteenth street between Grandview avenue and Timmonds avenue Friday to John Dunn. Real Estate Agent W. H. Shonkwiler closed the deal.

Novelette Skating Rink
We cater to only refined and orderly people. Skates 15c. Gentlemen 25c including skates.
Afternoon sessions, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
Special attention to beginners

Special Service

City Engineer George S. Wilhelm received a letter from W. C. Devereaux, U. S. river observer and weather forecaster at Cincinnati, Friday, promising Portsmouth a special bulletin service during high water times. He questioned whether hourly bulletins would be worth the while but assured the official he would furnish reports every four to six hours.

Confesses To Dual Murder

Elizabethtown, Tenn., Feb. 12.—Clyde Stover, the negro arrested here Wednesday as a suspect in connection with the murder near Welka, Fla., of Alonzo G. Gardner, of Baltimore, confessed today, according to Sheriff Ausbrooks, that he killed Gardner and also his brother Horace B. Gardner, of Springfield, Mass., who is missing.

The negro, who piloted a yacht for the brothers on a camping trip, shot them in the back, the alleged confession said, because they forced him to dance at the point of a gun. One was shot, the negro is alleged to have confessed, as he was butchering a pig some distance from the camp. The other was killed, he said, a short time later at another place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Jr., of Lilly, have as guests today Mrs. Miller's father and brother, Mr. John Wolen and son, William H. Wolen, of Hilger, Montana.

Wants Something Done For Boy

Ed. Times:

As a social worker my attention has been called repeatedly to the "fierce" conditions surrounding the children of the Craig's of Mill street in Red Row. We find them in squalor, rags, nakedness, dirt, filth and disease. We rush for aid to proper authorities with a cry to "do something", and the answer comes "Nothing doing."

Now through the public press we ask for support and investigation to have such children taken to the Children's Home.

And is there not some good women in need of a few dollars who will care for this boy of 14 years who is an imbecile until "he can be placed in a state institution for such afflicted ones"? It is impossible to keep these children with parents who can't or won't give them the care of the "brute."

A WOMAN CITIZEN.

Want Their Pay

Luther Griffin and Arch Ayers have sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Tom Moore for failing to pay them $2.75 due them, they say, as wages for helping him trim trees, Thursday.

Your Credit Is Good
Send name and address and receive ten 10-cent packages of Nature's Herbs. For Constipation, Rheumatism, Blood, Liver, Kidneys and family use. Sell friends and neighbors at 10 cents each. Keep 50 cents as your profit, remit 50 cents. An unusual offer. Don't miss it. Send postal today to Melrose Co., Dept. 120 Columbus, O.

JANSEN'S Cut-Rate Grocery Specials

WESTERN BRAND FLOUR
Per Sack 90c

CANNED GOODS
Asparagus, large cans per can, Tips, ...20c
Tomatoes, per dozen 90c
Island Corn, 5 cans 25c
Pickaway Corn, 2 cans ..15c
Beauty Corn, 2 cans 15c
Prize Corn, 2 cans 25c
Ashville Peas, 3 cans 25c
Peaches for the table, 2 cans 25c; per dozen ..$1.45
Baked Beans, 3 large cans for 25c
Beets (red) three large cans 25c
Kraut, 3 large cans 25c
Hominy, 3 cans for 25c
Green Beans, 3 large cans for 25c
Spaghetti, large cans, ..18c
Spaghetti, small cans, ..10c
Pineapple, 3 lb. cans ..23c
Pineapple, 2 lb. cans 15c
Plums, 3 lb. cans 10c

ROME BEAUTY APPLES
Special, per peck 25c

PURE HONEY
In the comb. Special per pound 20c

FRUIT
Grape Fruit, seven large ones 25c
Bananas, dozen 15c
Lemons, per dozen 15c
Oranges, per dozen 18c

Catsup—full gallon glass bottle, special 65c

PEANUT BUTTER
Very fine, 2 pounds 25c

PURE BUCKWHEAT
10 lb. bag, per bag 45c
Per pound 5c

ARBUCKLE'S CANE SUGAR
25 lb. cotton bag ....

Pure Home Made Apple Butter and Peach Preserve, full quart jars, special, per quart 25c

FRESH EGGS
Eggs all guaranteed.
Per dozen 27½

POTATOES
Per peck 18c
Per bushel 65c
2 1-2 bushel bag $1.39

TOILET PAPER
Regular 10c rolls 2 rolls 15c
Regular 5c rolls, 2 rolls ..5c

CHICKEN FEED
Ten pounds for 25c

Competition Flour
We guarantee this flour to give better satisfaction than any flour on the market. We guarantee it to make from 2 to 3 loaves of bread more to every sack than any other sack of flour. We guarantee it to be whiter, better tasting and by far a sweeter bread than any bread you have ever baked. We guarantee it to stay moist twice as long. Your bread will be just as nice and moist days after baking as it was the day it was baked. Try it, if not all we say about it is true we will refund purchase price. Special price for this sale, per sack 95c

Pet and Every Day Milk
3 large cans 25c
6 small cans 25c
12 cans for 90c

LAKE WHITE FISH
Per bucket 45c
Holland Herring, dozen 25c
Mackerel, 3 for 25c

OLEOMARGARINE
Best grade, 2 pounds ...35c

CRACKERS AND CAKES
Ginger Snaps, 2 pounds 15c
Oyster and Butter Crackers, 2 pounds 15c
Macaroon Snaps 15c

PURE LARD
4 pounds for 48c
No. 3 buckets for 40c
No. 2 buckets for 25c
No. 50 cans $5.75

NEW GOODS RECEIVED!
New Dried Peaches, 3 pounds for 25c
New Marrowfat Beans, 3 pounds for 25c
New Navy Beans, 2 quarts for 25c
New Cranberry Beans, 3 pounds for 25c
New Lima Beans, 3 pounds for 25c
New California Prunes, 2 pounds for 25c
New Seeded Raisins, 3 packages for 25c
New Pure Cod Fish, 2 pounds for 25c
New Oat Meal, loose, 6 pounds for 25c
New Split Peas, 3 pounds for 25c
New Flake Hominy, 6 pounds for 25c
New Pearl Barley, 2 pounds for 15c
New California Whole Grain Rice, 3 lbs. for 25c
New Mince Meat, 4 boxes for 25c
New Rolled Oats, 3 boxes for 25c
New Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour or Buckwheat, per package 9c

CHEESE
Limberger Cheese, lb. ..20c
Brick Cheese 20c
Sweitzer Cheese 28c
Full New York Cream Cheese 20c

HAMS AND BACONS
Banquet Brand Breakfast Bacon, pound 20c
California Hams, extra fine, per pound 12c
Smoked Bacon, pound ..17c

PURE COCOA
In full quart jars, special per quart 25c
Yellow or White Corn Meal, 4 pounds for 10c

NEW PICKLES
New Dill Pickles, per dozen 15c
New Jumbo Pickles, per dozen 15c
New Horse Radish, per bottle 9c

PICKLED PORK
2 pounds for 25c
Fould's large boxes 3 boxes 25c
Fould's small boxes, six boxes 25c
Imported, per pound 5c

BUTTER
Made by the Pure Milk Co. fresh daily, special per pound 35c

MUSTARD
Full quart jar Mustard 10c
Full quart jar Olives ...25c
Full quart jar Chow Chow for 10c

SPECIALS
Yours Truly Soap, special 2 cans 15c
Potato Chips, per pkg. ..9c
Jam, pure fruit, per can 5c
Onions, Yellow Globe, per peck 25c
Matches, 1500 Matches 3 boxes 10c
Mops, regular 30c Mops 25c
Epsom Salts, two 5c boxes for 5c

BREAKFAST FOODS
Post Toasties 3 boxes for 25c
Krinkle Corn Flakes 2 boxes 15c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 3 boxes 27c
Petto John's Wheat Flakes, per box 14c
Washington Corn Flakes 3 boxes 27c
Shredded Wheat Biscuits 2 boxes for 25c
Puff Wheat, per box 9c
Puff Rice, per box 13c
Cream Wheat, per box ..13c
Grape Nuts 2 boxes for 25c
Quaker Oats, 3 boxes ..27c
Toy Oats, 3 boxes 25c
American Beauty Oats, box 9c

SOAPS
10 bars for 45 cents
Star Soap,
Ivory Soap,
Fels Naptha Soap,
P. & G. Naptha Soap,
Werk's Tag German Soap,
Werk's Tar German Soap.
Rub-No-More Soap,
Classic Soap,
Octagon Soap,
Grand Pa's Tar Soap,
Easy Task Soap.

SOAP POWDER
10 boxes for 45c
Star Naptha,
Gold Dust,
Rub-No-More,
Washing Gas,
Octagon.

CLEANSERS
Ammonia, bottle ..9c
Sal Soda 3 lbs. ...5c
Starch, 6 lbs. 25c
Argo, 6 boxes 25c
Old Dutch 3 for ..25c
Light House 6 boxes for 25c

BROOMS
Brooms, 30c broom for 25c

HOME PHONES
283 AND 285

GREAT WESTERN TEA and GROCERY CO.

Call us tonight. Store open till 9 o'clock. Orders received tonight will go out on first delivery.

MAN WHO REJECTS GOD IS DOOMED

SAYS EVANGELIST

The great meeting at the First Baptist church last night and the sermon will be long remembered by those who were present. The house was filled. The preacher was at his best and delivered a marvelous sermon on the subject "The Three Crosses" from the text Luke 23:17. These crosses stand for three classes, or three great epochs in the history of the human family. The cross on the right stands for unbelief; the cross on the left for repentance, and the cross in the middle for God's grace and forgiveness.

Two classes of persons are seen in this tragedy. The people who repent and the people who go out into eternity in their sins. Around this middle cross gathers all history, and from this cross dates all the future. Every legal document, every business transaction, every social communication begins with "The Year of Our Lord."

It is the basis of all moral tone of every civilization for 1900 years. It is the dividing line between life and death. From that cross men are sealed in death or are brought into eternal life. It is the dividing line between man and God. It is the rejecting cross and this is the greatest of all sins as the respectable man who rejects Christ is separated from God the same as the "down and out" for there is no difference. Then there is the repenting cross. "Lord remember me when Thou comest into Thy kingdom." Where do you stand tonight? There were two conversions last night. Services tonight at 7:15.

13 At The Altar At U. B. Church

Last night, at the United Brethren church, Rev. Harter gave sin a scathing denunciation, using as a subject, "The Wages of Sin."

He stated that his intention was to swing the red light signal, the danger signal, so that souls might not go down to hell. He denounced sins of all kinds, big sins and little sins, high sins and low sins, stylish sins and degenerate sins, sins in heavenly places and in all other places. He proved that sin was the most expensive thing in this or any other country. Showing that it has built our jails, prisons, penitentiaries, criminal courts and divorce courts. He stated that it blighted, debauched and damned. Wishing that people would become as sick of their sins as the whale was of Jonah, saying there would surely be a separation. He stated that the saloon was productive of much sin and said, "If I voted to perpetuate the saloon, I would say to my son, patronize it, for I brought it into existence for you." When a man votes for the saloon he says to his daughter, 'I open the brothel for you; go in and live in sin and shame.'

"There may be some innocent people in the jails or the penitentiary, but there are none in hell."

The appeal was tender and pathetic, yet firm and clear.

Thirteen responded to the altar call and ten professed conversion.

This was the best meeting of this revival and the interest is still increasing. Fifteen or more asked for the prayers of the people of God.

Services tonight at 7:15; also Saturday evening at 7:15.

Lincoln Day Exercises This Evening Free; You Are Invited

You are invited to attend Lincoln Day celebration at 7:30 tonight at the high school auditorium. Bailey Post invites its friends and the public to a patriotic celebration tonight that is out of the ordinary. The bugle calls, patriotic music, songs of the Pilgrims, brief addresses, from first-class speakers, a printed program, gotten up so that it is a souvenir worth keeping and the honor to our greatest American president and citizen, should fill the hall. Reserve the front seats for the Old Boys. One request is made, please do not encore the Pilgrim singers. They have four numbers and the length of the program forbids granting an encore.

J. J. DAVIDSON,
W. H. Williams,
D. P. Pratt,
Com. on Arrangements.

The program follows:
Prayer Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker
Music: Patriotic Airs—Miss Mary E. Pursell.
Talk: Lincoln A True Scout—A Boy Scout, Cecil Tidd.
Lincoln's Patriotism—Spanish War Veteran, Clint M. Searl.
Lincoln's Tender Heart Toward Every Soldier—Son of Veteran, Gilbert O. Dodds.
Music: Medley of America's Patriotic Songs (Ryhs-Herber)—The Pilgrim Singers.
The Perfect Tribute, (Mary Shipman Andrews)—Mrs. Lena Kline Reed.
Music: The Boys of the Old Brigade—The Pilgrim Singers.
Why We Love Lincoln—Rev. A. R. Connell.
Music: Selected—The Pilgrim Singers.
Lincoln A God Fearing Man—Rev. J. W. Dunning.
Music: Selected—The Pilgrim Singers.
Lincoln As a Master of English—W. D. Gilliland.
Closing Song: The Star Spangled Banner—V. E. Martin, Bugler.

$15 For The Poor

About $15 was realized on the dance the Ben Hurs gave in their hall Thursday evening. This sum will be turned over to Mayor Frick's destitute fund. Another dance will be given next Thursday night.

To Aid In Revival

The Rev. T. H. McAfee, pastor of the First Baptist church will leave Monday for Mt. Vernon, O., where he will assist Dr. Hector Dye, pastor of the First Baptist church of that city. Rev. McAfee will return in time to hold his usual services in his church on Sunday, February 21.

No Excuse Will Pass Muster With Master

SAYS EVANGELIST IRWIN

Another splendid audience greeted Evangelist Irwin in the Sciotoville Christian church Thursday evening. There were eight accessions last night.

Evangelist Irwin spoke about excuses at the church of Christ last night to a full house. He said it is natural but wrong to make excuses. Adam began the fault, Eve was a close second; Cain kept up the dishonor of the family. Moses made excuses for not wishing to accept the responsibility to which God called him. Jonah tried to run away from duty and David saw the fault of the man who killed the ewe lamb while blind to his own sins.

Today people excuse themselves for duty of service in the Lord's work. Members of churches excuse themselves from church attendance, on various pretexts, and frequently withhold the real reason for not enthusiastically engaging in the Lord's work in other ways.

Non-church members make many excuses for not becoming Christians and living the ideal life. The question of the presence of hypocrites is the church; the thought that it is not necessary to join a church or be baptized, etc., furnish some with excuses for not aligning themselves with the Master's cause.

"No excuse will pass muster with God." The Master said, "If any man hate not his father and mother, and wife and children and brother and sisters, yea, and his own life also he cannot be my disciple. And whosoever doth not bear his cross and come after me cannot be my disciple." Luke 14:26-27.

The subject Friday evening will be "The Great Salvation."

Final Blanket Sale, Saturday, Bragdon's. adv 12-1

THEATRICAL

At The Sun.

The Barrett Players presenting "The Path of Duty" at the New Sun theatre offer a strong drama that has lot of clever comedy and funny situations.

The story is woven around the man made laws of two countries with a lot of American freedom and fair play thrown in. Anna May in the part of Racia De Browski is very good making a big hit with the patrons by her clever work in this part.

Eddy La Renz as Norman Ware is strong in the part of a fair play loving American. Frank Morris in the part of Ware's chum, Bob Emerson, gets an opportunity to show his friendship and also puts over some very clever comedy.

This play gives the entire cast an opportunity to appear at their best as every part is good and each member is deserving of special mention.

The bill for the first half of the coming week will be "Ready Money." Mr. Barrett says that this is a play that every one will enjoy as it is a very interesting story as well as a play that is brimful of good, clean, enjoyable comedy.

The country store is the extra feature tonight and you miss a barrel of fun if you miss it.

Came With The Flood

The mayor learned to his surprise Friday that an outbuilding that had floated down on the recent flood water had anchored itself on his farm, a few miles below the city. Some man claiming ownership offered to sell it to the tenant of the farm but the mayor advised him to be in no hurry and rather investigate further.

Ben Hur Meeting

Members of the newly organized Ben Hur Court in Wheelersburg will attend the regular meeting of the Ben Hur lodge here tonight. An effort will be made to have a large attendance as a class of candidates will be taken in.

See the Reo Automobile at Stahler's. adv 10-3

DOWN GOES SCIOTO

The Scioto river is falling so rapidly that it will be back in its banks by Saturday or not later than Sunday, much of the high ground being out already.

Climate Failed; Medicine Effective

Sufferers from Tuberculosis often think that medicine will not help them. Fresh air, regular habits and good food aid in restoring health, but more is often needed. Many have been restored to health by Eckman's Alterative. Read this—

Weldon, Ill.

"Gentlemen:—Through your instrumentality I have been saved from a premature grave. On December 14, 1904, I was taken with Typhoid Pneumonia, which developed into Tuberculosis (bacilli were found). In February, 1905, I went to Fort Worth, Texas, and later to Canon City, Colorado. After being there two weeks my physician informed me that my case was hopeless. Three weeks later I returned home, weighing 108 pounds, the doctor having given me no assurance of reaching there alive. On July 14, 1905, I began taking Eckman's wonderful remedy for Lung Trouble. Now I am stout and well and can do any kind of work about my grain elevator." (Abbreviated).

(Affidavit) ALFRED WEBB.

Eckman's Alterative is most efficacious in bronchial catarrh and severe throat and lung affections and up-building the system. Contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs. Accept no substitutes. Small size, $1; regular size, $2. Sold by leading druggists. Write for booklet of recoveries.

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A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.

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SPECIAL PRICES FOR SATURDAY ONLY

1 qt. extra fancy Cranberries 5c
1 dozen fresh Country Eggs 27½c
1 lb. good Butter 20, 30, 35c
1 peck nice Kale 15c
1 peck 40c Apples 30c
½ bushel fine Potatoes 30c
1 lb. Arbuckles Coffee 18c
1 and 2 qts. Hominy 5c
2 and 3 qts. Beans 25c
2 lbs. Crackers or Snaps 15c
2 lbs. Dried Apples or Peaches for 15c
Good Flour ....95c and $1.00
Good Bacon 12½, 15, 18c
Extra fine picnic Hams 11c

All the fruits and vegetables, dressed chickens and rabbits.

Give us your grocery business and get both quality and quantity.

J. J. Brushart,
THE CASH GROCER

WILL AID IN REVIVAL

Rev. J. E. Dibert left today over the N. & W. R. R. for Sinking Springs, Ohio, where he will assist his brother, Rev. William S. Dibert, in special meetings for a few days.

Report Is Verified

Will H. Schwartz has returned from a business trip up the Big Sandy in the interest of the Schwartz Clothing company. He says the report that the B. & O. will extend its lines in that region has been verified by officials of this road.

GIRLS! CLEAN AND BEAUTIFY HAIR NO DANDRUFF—25 CENT DANDERINE

Surely try a "Danderine Hair Cleanse" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, dissolve every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

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That's it. Get results. And Sent-a-nels get results. Purely vegetable, candy-coated, they are not only a quick, effective remedy for the ills due to clogged bowels, lazy liver or stomach full of fermenting waste, but Sent-a-nels have tonic force. They build, they develop, they vitalize by purifying and enriching the blood. Have your druggist send you a box of this great American made remedy tonight. 10 doses 10 cents. Sentanel Remedies Co., Inc., Covington, Ky.

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Special Demonstration

These pure, crystal White Diamond cut stones are always most attractive and the demand is constantly increasing. There is a reason for this; it is because the many wearers have found them to be the nearest approach to the genuine in brilliancy and wearing qualities.

Seeing is believing.

Tiffany Rings ....$1.00 to $5.00
Gypsy Rings ....$2.00 to $3.50
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Ear Studs ....75c to $2.00
Pendants ....$1.00 to $3.50
Scarf Pins ....50c to $3.00
Bracelets ....$1.00 to $3.50
Cuff Links ....50c to $2.00

Every article guaranteed.

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FEATURE PICTURES

PARAMOUNT TONIGHT
LOIS WEBER AND PHILLIPS SMALLEY IN
"FALSE COLOURS"
4 REELS 200 SCENES
An interesting drama of the theatre

TO-MORROW
ON TOMORROW AFTERNOON, IN ADDITION TO OUR REGULAR THREE REEL PROGRAM, THE PICTURES OF LINCOLN SCHOOL SHOWING ALL THE TEACHERS AND SCHOLARS, ALSO PICTURES OF THE MOTORCYCLE SLEDS WILL BE SHOWN. THEN AGAIN ON MONDAY.

HEAR CHARGES TODAY OF MISCONDUCT OF W. VIRGINIA JUDGE

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Investigation into the charges against Federal Judge A. G. Dayton of the northern district of West Virginia, scheduled to begin here this afternoon before Representatives McGillicuddy of Maine; Danforth of New York, and Gard of Ohio, a sub-committee of the judiciary committee of the House of Representatives, brought together many of the leading lawyers of West Virginia and number of organized labor men on whose complaint the charges were filed by Representative M. M. Neely of the first West Virginia district.

The resolution under which the committee will take testimony directs that it inquire whether Judge Dayton conspired with certain corporations and individuals to bring about the removal of the late Judge John J. Jackson as judge of the federal district court; whether he has shown marked favoritism to certain corporations having extensive litigation in his court and has summoned as jurors persons connected with these corporations; whether he has used his power as judge to further the interests of his son, Attorney Arthur Dayton; whether he has lent his services as judge to coal operators by improperly issuing injunctions; whether he has shown hatred and bitterness toward miners on trial in his court; whether he has used his office to discourage miners from exercising their rights to organize and prohibit assembly; whether he conspired with certain corporations in the formation of a carbon trust in violation of the law; whether he openly stated he would not permit the United Mine Workers of America to exist within the jurisdiction of his court; whether he has said in open court that the United Mine Workers were criminal conspirators and finally whether he has been guilty of any act for which he should be impeached.

The charges were filed after a number of miners had been imprisoned for violating an injunction issued by Judge Dayton in connection with the strike at the Hitchman mine near Wheeling.

FELT IT WAS HIS DUTY TO KILL AGED VICTIMS

New York, Feb. 12.—While on his way from Bellevue hospital to the West Chester county jail in White Plains on a warrant charging him with the murder of "Henry Horn and others," aged inmates of the German Odd Fellows' home, Frederick Mors made a statement yesterday in which he said that "I considered well my action and then decided that it was my duty to put those old men and women out of their pain, their suffering and the horrors of long sleepless nights."

Mors had just been declared "mentally unwell" by the Bellevue hospital alienist and now awaits the action of the grand jury as the first step in a move to inquire into his sanity.

Mors, who is 26 years old, came to this country about 10 months ago, he said, and last July obtained employment at the German Odd Fellows' home near Yonkers.

When asked if any of the eight persons he confessed to having killed had requested him to end their misery, Mors said:

"Two of them." His reason for confessing to the district attorney of New York City was that he feared an investigation and that he thought that, according to the law, he would gain immunity by so doing.

Investigation of Mors' story will be resumed in Yonkers on Monday.

OHIO OPERATORS MAY RUN "OPEN" MINES

Cleveland, Feb. 12.—Instead of abandoning their investigation concerning the strike in the eastern Ohio coal fields when the joint conference of miners and operators adjourned last Tuesday without an agreement Hywell Davies and Daniel J. Keefe, federal conciliators, quietly remained in this city and conferred privately with a number of coal operators. These informal conferences with individual operators will end late today, it was stated when the federal representatives will depart.

Neither Mr. Davies nor Mr. Keefe would make a statement.

Several operators said today that they are "seriously considering" operating their mines with non-union men and that they already conferred with representatives of agencies who offer to furnish men to work in the mines of the strike zone. The strikers they said, however, will first be given an opportunity to go back to work before other men are imported.

Converts Baptized In River

A party of about 18 converts of the Sciotoville Christian church revival were baptized by Rev. Rochester Irwin in the Ohio river at Sciotoville Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Rev. Irwin has been conducting a revival at the Christian church for three weeks. Over 150 converts have been secured during the two weeks of invitations. A class of 40 were baptized Saturday. A crowd of 150 stood in the drizzling rain at the foot of Jackson street, Sciotoville, to witness the baptizing.

Arrested At Maysville, Ky.

Maysville, Ky., Feb. 12—Two young men from Portsmouth, Everitt (Peter) Parks and George Blair, came to grief here yesterday, through a story told the police by Charles Scandlis, also of the Peerless City, who claimed that Blair had attempted to make a get-away with a watch that he had loaned him for safe-keeping.

The trio came here presumably on the hunt of employment. They made the rounds of the tobacco ware-houses, but were unable to secure work. Blair, it is said, induced Scandlis to allow him to keep his watch, and after securing the time-piece, separted himself from his companions. Scandlis became alarmed and telephoned the police that Blair was trying to pawn the watch and skip out. Blair was easily apprehended, and when arrested still had the watch in his possession, stating that he was acting under orders of Scandlis and had been offered $6.00 for the watch, but refused this amount. Blair and Parks were both locked up under the charge of grand larceny. They were to have their hearing Friday afternoon, but up to a late hour Scandlis, the prosecuting witness, had not put in his appearance, although Chief of Police Mackey was expecting him momentarily. Blair and Parks both stated that they left Portsmouth, bound for Winchester, Ky., where they had the promise of positions. Blair had a brand new suit case, containing quite an array of wearing apparel, which had been purchased of a Portsmouth concern.

STOMACH SUFFERERS! READ THIS

So many stomach sufferers have been benefited by a simple prescription of vegetable pills which cured a Chicago druggist of chronic stomach, liver and intestinal trouble of years' standing that we want you surely to try this remedy. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. One dose will convince you. It usually gives complete and permanent results—even in the most stubborn cases. One dose will convince you. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy is sold by leading druggists everywhere with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

Has Erysipelas

Richard Ferguson, colored guardian of the county treasury, is laid up at his home in the North End with a severe case of erysipelas.

Was In Columbus

Charles Hard of this city was a business visitor in Columbus Thursday.

LICKSKILLET LOCALS

Gideon Grimes appeared on the streets yesterday, with a terrible cut on his lip. Doc Robinson 'lowed there would be trouble when he saw Gid sharpening his table knives the other day. B. A.

CRITERION
Clothing Co.'s
LAST Offer For The Season
February Stock Reducing Sale

25 PER CENT Discount on Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats.
Stop and figure out what that means in a cash saving to you. HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX well known CLOTHING INCLUDED.

50 PER CENT Discount or just one-half the regular price on about 100 OVERCOATS that are odd lots practically about one of a size. These are a bargain and you should not fail to see them.

20 PER CENT Discount on all RAINCOATS, MACKINAWS, SWEATERS, UNION SUITS, FLANNEL SHIRTS, FLANNELETTE PAJAMAS AND NIGHT SHIRTS.

Don't fail to see our Jersey Ribbed and Fleeced Lined Shirts and Drawers. They are a snap, also in black 33c

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TERMINALS

Earl Scott, N. & W. inspector, left Thursday for Jackson, Ohio, to spend a few days with his relatives.

C. M. Kidd, general air brake inspector of the N. & W., with offices in Roanoke, was in the city Friday on company business.

Joe Harris, day storekeeper at the Y. M. C. A., is suffering with a cold.

Sam Doner and Charles Adams have moved their families from the Wilson home on Gallia pike to a house near the Y. M. C. A. The bank in front of the Wilson home has been slipping since thawing weather set in.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horn left Thursday morning for their home in Roanoke, Va., after spending several days with relatives and friends here. Mr. Horn is general chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors. Mr. and Mrs. Horn will be among the large number of guests at the union meeting of the four railway orders in Columbus Friday afternoon. They will attend the banquet given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the four orders Friday evening.

James S. Pearce, N. & W. master mechanic and wife, have returned from a several days visit in Cincinnati.

W. A. Ellsworth, N. & W. special detective, is able to be out and around after several days confinement with grip.

Mac Jones, N. & W. engineer, has returned from a short visit with relatives and friends in Roanoke, Va.

Ralph Kelly, son of Edward Kelly, N. & W. brakeman, of 3043 Gallia pike, will leave in a few days for Hot Springs, Arkansas, with the hopes of improving his health. He has been ill for sometime.

M. P. Workman, N. & W. brakeman, who was badly injured over a month ago at Cincinnati, will leave Saturday for Kenova.

J. C. White, of 3350 Gallia pike, received a message Thursday telling him of the serious illness of his brother Rev. T. B. White, who is in the Bethesda hospital at Zanesville, Ohio, suffering with typhoid fever. He will go to Zanesville to visit his brother in a few days.

Mrs. Wayne Watts, of 1413 Spring street, wife of an N. & W. brakeman, will leave in a few days for Williamson, W. Va., to visit friends and relatives.

Rev. John W. Wynn, evangelist for the Ohio Baptist Convention, was a guest at the Y. M. C. A. Friday morning. Thursday he attended the revival at the Fairview Baptist church where twelve converts have been received in one week. Rev. Greene Willis is in charge of the revival. Rev. Wynn also attended the Bethesda Baptist revival several days ago. Rev. Freeman Chase is conducting the revival at the latter place.

SORE THROAT OFTEN A SIGN OF DANGER

A common sore throat neglected may lead to pneumonia, quinsy or chronic throat troubles. And a twenty-five-cent investment in Hoff's German Liniment may save the price of a tombstone. Everyone should know that Hoff's German Liniment makes a fine gargle and can be used freely for sore throat with quick results. It can be taken internally for coughs, colds, croup, etc. Thousands of mothers appreciate Hoff's German Liniment for relieving children's ailments. They know that there is nothing like Hoff's German Liniment for stopping pain. Made from white emulsion of camphor cream with other pure, harmless, effective ingredients. Everyone knows that camphorated oil rubbed on the chest is good for cold on the lungs, etc. The only objection to it is that it leaves the pores open, making one a waiting victim for the next attack of cold. Hoff's German Liniment keeps the pores closed—keeps colds out.

All druggists sell Hoff's German Liniment—a quarter pint for a quarter; large family size, 50c. We absolutely guarantee results and authorize your druggist to return your money if dissatisfied. There is only one genuine Hoff's German Liniment. Beware of substitutes. Don't let a sore throat linger—it sometimes leads to pneumonia, diphtheria, etc. Apply at once a little of Hoff's German Liniment and note the quick results.

READY FOR PRINTER

City Auditor George Gubleman has his annual report ready for the printer, having completed it two weeks earlier than ever before. It should be ready for distribution March 1, which will give department heads a full month to reflect on its contents as the mayor's budget goes in April 1.

POTATO LOOKS LIKE DOG

Henry Faivre, collector of relics and freakish articles, added another article to his collection Friday afternoon. This time it is several potatoes grown in such a shape that they resemble a small dog or puppy setting on its haunches.

The freakish potato was found by Grocerman Frank Treat of Front street several days ago and he had it on display at his store before presenting it to Mr. Faivre. One large potato forms the body of the dog, and two smaller potatoes form the front legs. The eyes in the potato that forms the head are in such a place that they form the eyes of the canine. An extra small potato on one side of the large potato resembles a wart. The potato can be seen at Faivre's place of business any time.

MAY MOTORIZE FIRE COMPANIES

B. F. Thomas, a traveling representative of the American La France company, arrived here Friday to interview city officials relative to the mortorizing of the Portsmouth fire companies.

It is possible that Dr. Jos. Lake, director of public safely, will make recommendation for the motorizing of the department at the next meeting of city council. The council fire committee made such recommendation some weeks ago.

"DO IT NOW" PLEADS MAYOR

The mayor, in hopes of aiding the "Do-It-Now-Help the Unemployed" plan, addressed another appeal to Attorney H. T. Bannon Friday, urging a speedy beginning of the overhead crossing job in the East End. He also suggested to Service Director Gergens to start the fill runaway at Second and Scioto streets at the earliest possible time.

The mayor has appealed to Squire John W. Byron to remove the unsightly awning on the front of his office building at Sixth and Court streets.

Drop Charges Of Corrupt Election

Washington, Feb. 12.—Investigation of charges of corruption in the last senatorial campaigns in Pennsylvania, Illinois and other states, was blocked today so far as the 63rd congress is concerned, when the senate committee which provides for the expense for such inquiries desired not to act.

Chairman Williams said the senatorial terms to which the investigation would relate do not begin until the next congress and it was felt that an inquiry by the present congress would be premature.

Flushing River Grade

Fire Chief W. A. McGuat loaned a section of hose to the city service department Friday for use in flushing the river grade.

Will Locate In Peerless

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Taylor of Rarden, will move to this city the first of the week. Later on Lafayette Taylor, well known timber dealer will also move to the River City and will probably occupy a house on the Hilltop.

TO MAKE TRIP WITH NAPS

Scout Billy Doyle announced Friday that First Baseman Jimmy Edwards and Left Fielder Johnny Baggan would accompany the Cleveland Naps to San Antonio, where Edwards and Baggan will play this season. The Naps are booked to play several games with the San Antonio team.

"BOYS WORK" AT BIGELOW

The morning service at Bigelow church Sunday will be devoted mainly to the interest of the "Boys' Work." A representative of the Boy Scout movement will be on hand to speak and the pastor will deliver a special sermon on "Work With the Boys."

The music department of the revival meetings which are to begin at the church February 28th will be in charge of a Mr. Good. He is a prominent and widely experienced evangelistic singer. Every member should arrange to stay for the service Sunday in the interest of the boys.

Will Play In Texas

It was learned Friday that Ed Cotwell had practically come to terms with the owners of the Waco, Texas league team and he will not become a member of the Grand Rapids, Central league team.

Returns To Springfield

William Ziegler, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Ziegler, of Sixth street, for several days, returned to his home in Springfield, Ky., Friday.

California Raisin Bread
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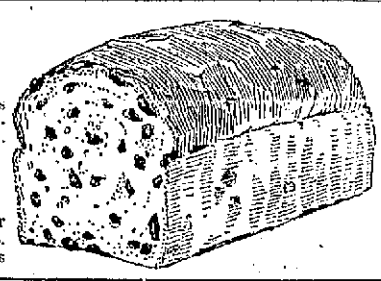

NAME LIQUOR BOARDS IN FIVE COUNTIES

Columbus, Feb. 12.—County License Commissioners were appointed today for five additional counties which become wet under the recent home rule amendment by the state liquor licensing board.

Brown county—Henry Fleig, Republican of Ripley and W. H. O'Reilly, Democrat of Fayette.

Monroe—Clem Rausch, Republican and C. J. Ellis, Democrat, both of Woodsfield.

Wayne—H. R. Barrett, Republican of Wooster and F. E. Wolfe, Democrat of Orrville.

Warren—Frank B. Anderson, Republican, of Lebanon and F. H. Hicks, of Morrow.

Wood—Clyde Dwyer, Republican of Pemberville and Allen G. Lehman, Democrat of Bowling Green.

Only One "Bromo Quinine"
Whenever you feel a cold coming on, think of the full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Cures a Cold in one day. Cures Grip in two days. Look for signature of E. W. Grove on the box. 25c

Gallia Deal Brewing?

It was learned on good authority Friday afternoon that a local real estate agent has been given an option on the Doerr homestead on Gallia street, just west of the Security bank building. Members of the Doerr family were asked concerning the rumor and they said that there was nothing to give out for publication. The Doerr property is one of the most valuable business sites on Gallia street.

Eugene Redden has taken a position as engineer on the C. & O. ferryboat Chesapeake.

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Complete line of GARDEN and FIELD SEEDS for Spring Sowing.
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U. S. RESERVE BANKS PREFER ACCEPTANCES

Washington, Feb 12—Although the federal reserve board in its long expected circular on acceptances made public today does not shut the door to purchases of acceptances in the open market by the twelve federal reserve banks, it indicates a preference for the discount of such paper when presented by member banks.

The circular calls the acceptance the standard form of paper in the world discount market. It says that although the acceptances is in its infancy in American banking, it will prove an effective substitute for the call loan. The circular says preferential rates should be given when acceptances bear the endorsement of member banks.

GRAND JURY MAY MAKE A PARTIAL REPORT

There is a strong likelihood that the grand jury will be called upon to make a partial report of its findings, Saturday, in the event that it will be unable to finish its work by the close of the week. The petit jury convenes Monday morning, and the jury room will be needed for its deliberations. The grand jury will be called upon for an adjourned session later in the term, if this program is carried out.

Twenty witnesses had been examined Friday up until three o'clock. Among the witnesses examined during the day were Zelner Arthurs, aged 14, and her father, of Fifteenth and Railroad streets, called in connection with the alleged criminal assault upon the former, for which crime Henry Stinnie, a local negro, is being held to await examination by the grand jury. Several residents of New Boston were also among the witnesses examined.

EXPERT AT STEEL MILL

Benjamin R. Curry of Wheeling has arrived in Portsmouth and has taken charge of the efficiency department of the Whittaker-Glessner Company. Mr. Curry is said to be an expert in his line.

Appraised Stock.

Appraisers of the drug store at Second and Market streets belonging to the late Daniel Spry, completed their work Thursday and the figures are now in the hands of Attorney A. T. Holcomb for recapitulation. Mr. Holcomb stated Friday that the statement will not be filed in probate court for a few days, but one of the appraisers stated that the stock and fixtures were valued at about $1200. The appraisers were Walter Berg, Wm. Brandle and J. A. Dacey.

Eichenlaub Quits Athletics

Notre Dame, Feb. 12—Raymond Eichenlaub of Columbus, track captain for four years Notre Dame's premier athlete, twice all-western and a year before last second choice for all-American full back, has quit college athletics.

Lacks Confirmation.

Reports were current here Friday that the Wells-Fargo Express Company had taken over the Adams Express Company. Local officials of both companies had heard the rumor but knew nothing about it.

REV. WYNN AT HOME

Rev. John W. Wynn, evangelist for the Ohio Baptist convention, arrived in the city after a several days' trip through the Eastern part of the county. Rev. Wynn will have charge of the Sunday morning services at the Hutchins Street Baptist church.

W. A. Holmes, state Sunday school man of the Ohio Baptist convention, will conduct the evening services at the church. Holmes is from Granville, O. He will speak on Sunday school work.

Two Cars Derailed

Traffic on the Cincinnati division of the C. & O. was held up for a while Friday as a westbound freight train derailed two cars west of Vanceburg. A broken flange, it is thought, caused the derailment. No one was hurt.

DUTCH STEAMER STOPPED

London, Feb. 12.—A dispatch to the Evening News from Rotterdam says that the Dutch steamer Duiderdijk, flying the Dutch flag, was stopped by a German submarine in the North Sea. She was compelled to show her papers after which she was permitted to proceed to Rotterdam.

Visited Schools.

E. O. McCowen, the county school superintendent, visited the schools of Washington township Friday, and later attended a meeting of the township board of education.

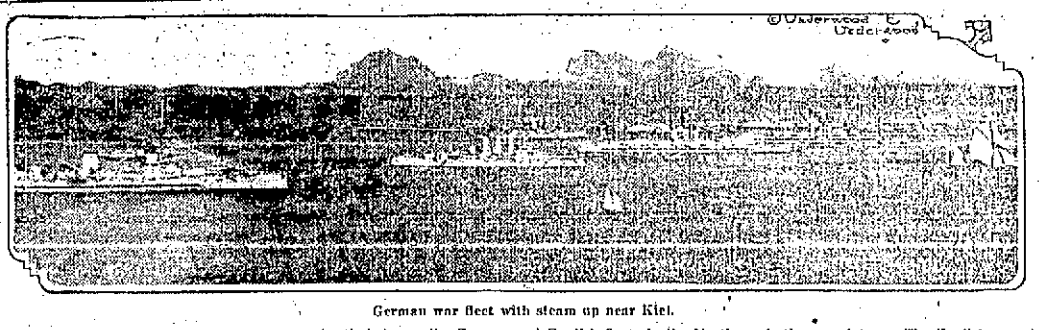
SEDAN

The following named pupils of Crabtree school were perfect in attendance during the month ending February 5th, 1915: Henry Altman, Floyd Crabtree, Forest Crabtree, Jesse Crabtree, Martin Crabtree, Clayton Culp, Harold Graham, Howard Mercer, William A. Mercer, Norman Pollock, Bertha Altman, Hannah Altman, Ora Altman, Zella Altman, Thelma Culp, Reba Mercer, Thelma Thompson. Enrollment, 28; average daily attendance, 25; per cent of attendance, 92.

GEORGE W. ALLEN, Teacher.

25-inch Silk Poplins, new Spring patterns, Saturday 39c. Bragdon's. adv 12-1

HERE'S THE GERMAN FLEET AS IT HUGS COAST NEAR KIEL; ENGLISH WAIT OUTSIDE



German war fleet with steam up near Kiel.

There seems little likelihood of another battle between the German and English fleets in the North sea in the near future. The English navy is far stronger at present, and the Germans plan on continuing their present policy of "whittling down" the English navy by submarine attacks, etc., until the two navies are equal in strength, before venturing an attack

ROCKY FORK

There was a birthday surprise party given by Mrs. S. B. Douglas Sunday in honor of her husband, it being his 59th birthday. The following guests were present: Messrs. W. L. Fultz, Edward Howard, James Day, Jasper Gregory, Lee Howard, Darrell Miranda and Miss Madge Evans, Mrs. Dolly Fultz, Rachel Day, Della Kidder and others.

There was an interesting sermon delivered at this place Sunday by our able minister, Rev. James Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Hayslip and infant son returned to their home at Mt. Unger, Monday after a delightful visit with the latter's parents.

Mr. Frank Newman passed here Sunday enroute to Silver Ridge.

Misses Flossie and Lillie Charles took dinner with their aunt, Mrs. Mollie Leightly, Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Chapman received a letter from relatives in Kentucky announcing the serious illness of her mother. She will leave for that place in the near future.

Mr. James H. Evans was transacting business in Portsmouth Monday and Tuesday.

The party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burley was a very enjoyable affair.

Robert Evans was a business caller in Otway Thursday.

Waldo Robinson was the pleasant guest of his friend, Oscar Chapman, Sunday.

Willie Hayslip, of Silver Ridge, was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Robinson attended the big revival at Otway Sunday.

Mrs. Catherine Chapman and two children, Chester and Ada, were guests of Nellie Chapman, Tuesday.

Miss Goldie Gregory and little brother Theodore, spent Sunday with their aunt in Pine Hollow.

Essie Warner spent Saturday night with relatives in Big Run.

SUGAR CAMP

The revival meeting at the Glades broke up last Wednesday night. Rev. Musgrave held the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Doenne's son Vanal, is sick with typhoid fever. He is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Rachel Flack is on the sick list.

Protracted meeting has started at Bethesra. Rev. Chase, of Portsmouth, is holding the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Spriggs are the proud parents of a big baby boy.

Miss Opal Swaim was calling on her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wooten, on Sunday and Monday.

Burle Wooten, of Greenfield, is visiting his relatives of this place.

Albert Blakemun is clearing some for Joe Flack this winter.

Burle Wooten was calling on Louis Spriggs, of Spriggville.

Mr. Charles Wood says we will have four more snows this winter.

BLOOM SWITCH, O.

Rev. Bostic filled his regular appointment at the U. B. church Sunday.

Israel Neff is quite ill.

John and Ike Crabtree are busy hauling lumber for A. M. McGuire.

Harry Henning was a business caller at South Webster, Sunday.

Miss Bertha Sailor attended church at the city Saturday night.

Marie Moore and Clarence Hollback attended services at Jackson Furnace, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Woten was through our vicinity visiting last week.

Miss Dewey Henning was entertained by Miss Zoie Shoemaker, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Bauers is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henning were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Israel Neff Monday.

DUTEIL'S CORNER

Mrs. Jeff Morgan, who has been sick, is some better.

Several from here attended the baptizing at Chaffin's Mill Sunday. Those baptized were Vinton Chamberlain, Essa Cheek, Charley Cull and Miss Eunice Smith.

Mrs. F. W. Ruth was calling on Mrs. Mattie Duteil Monday.

Dan Ruth and daughter Catherine, of Dever Valley, and Oliver Conway, of Ashton, Ill., are visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Mrs. Henry Coriell was calling on her aunt, Mrs. Squire Weaver.

Mrs. Philip Besco is visiting with her daughters, Mrs. James Hughes and Mrs. Clarence Wallace, of Franklin Furnace.

Misses Bertha and Catherine Ruth spent Wednesday with Mrs. Phillip Besco.

Mr. Jeff Haney, of Detroit, has been visiting his brother, Ben Haney.

MABEES

Rev. James Taylor preached an interesting sermon at Dever Valley, Saturday night.

Jasper Cochnun and Dave Gilliland were visiting friends at New Boston, last week.

John Flaker of Buck Lick attended meeting at Dever Valley, Saturday night.

Misses Verna and Lucy Gilliland atended Sunday School at Hamilton, Sunday.

Charles Reed was a Jackson visitor, Monday.

Miss Margaret Slavens, who has been on the sick list is reported better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brunton and son, Roy, were calling on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Flaker, Sunday.

Herbert Flaker expects to help Noah Shoemaker with his farm work the coming summer.

John Meldick was a Jackson visitor, Saturday.

Mrs. Creola Canter is spending a few days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gilliland and son Edwin were calling on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Meldick, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gilliland spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Caroline Reed of Jackson.

Mrs. Lewis Flaker is slowly improving.

It has been announced that there will be preaching at Hamilton church February 20th by Rev. Maple.

KITTLES

Our school is progressing nicely under the able management of Mr. H. C. Martin.

Mrs. John Jenkins and daughter, Virgie, are visiting relatives in Scioto ville this week.

Jesse Kittles and sisters, Helen and Annie, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends on Pine Creek.

M and Mrs. H. C. Corriell, of Lyra, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Lemon.

Several from this place attended church at Lyra Sunday night.

Miss Anna Marie Sommer spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Corriell, of Lyra.

Mrs. Ora Ashley spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Susan Ashley.

Miss Laura Jenkins spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, L. C. Turner and wife, of Lyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ruth spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ruth, of Lyra.

Miss Laura Jenkins and Miss Anna Marie Sommer visited Vernon school Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Susan Ashley entertained a few of her friends Thursday in honor of her birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ora Ashley and son Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ashley and children, Gernet, Dorothy and Gaylon, Charles Ashley, Mrs. John Warnicke, Mrs. John Yeley, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Jenkins and son Harold, Frank Ashley and daughter Avanelle.

Mr and Mrs. James Morris, of Portsmouth, spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Baker.

Charles Ashley, of Springfield, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Ashley.

Levi Jenkins was a business visitor to Portsmouth Tuesday.

Lewis White is mourning the loss of a fine two handed dollar horse.

PLUM

Oakley Duley has moved on Mrs. Mae Mossbarber's hilltop farm.

Quite a crowd from here attended a singing at the home of J. W. McKinley, under the able management of Prof. W. W. Smith.

K. L. Cooper, who has been visiting friends at Berwind, W. Va., the past week, has returned home.

Mrs. Orval O'Bryant was calling on Mrs. Emma Swager, Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Swager had as guest Sunday H. S. McKinley and his daughters, Victoria, Mary and Alma, Minnie Gifford, Edgar and Thompson McKinley and Alanzo Swager.

Mrs. Emma Swager and her daughter, Effie, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Cooper, Sunday.

Arthur Cooper was calling on Miss Mary McKinley Wednesday evening.

"Doc" Swager spent Sunday with Mary E. Smith.

Clyde Cooper was calling on Miss Rachel Hinkle, Sunday.

K. L. Cooper, Prof. W. W. Smith, Mrs. Emma Swager, Mrs. Orval O'Bryant and Miss Nora Duke were visiting our school Monday.

Edgar McKinley seems to enjoy himself these cold winter evenings warming his feet at the fireside of N. S. Swager, of Happy Hollow. Some attraction, eh, Edgar?

Mr. George Melburn is spending a few days with his old friend, Miss Mary E. Smith.

Raymond McKinley spent Sunday with Arthur and Frank Cooper.

N. S. Swager was calling on Orval O'Bryant, Monday.

Edgar McKinley spent Monday with his uncle, J. W. McKinley, who has been seriously ill for some time.

There will be an entertainment given at our school Friday afternoon in honor of Washington and Lincoln. All are cordially invited.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Rev. Samuel Henry filled his regular appointment at the L. D. S. church Sunday evening.

E. E. Williams, of Pleasant Hill, was calling on his friend, Newton Graham, Saturday night.

Donald Altman, of Hocking county, is visiting friends at this place.

Misses Phoebe and Eva Throckmorton were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Mary Crabtree, Sunday.

Edgar Beaver, who has been confined to his home for some time with rheumatism, is improving slowly.

Miss Elsie Graham, who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Charles Culp and family, of Harrisonville, was calling on friends at this place Sunday.

Thomas Crowe made a business trip to Portsmouth, Monday.

The party given at Sheridan Crabtree's Sunday night was well attended. Those present were Mr. Benton, Alva and Millard Crabtree, Phoebe, Eva and Edgar Throckmorton, Willie and Ollie Lowell and Albert Altman. They all reported a good time.

Albert Altman and J. A. Criswell, who have the contract for building the culverts on the road that runs from McCulloch to Henley, will start to work just as soon as the weather will permit.

JACKSON FURNACE

Ms. Wm. Essman and daughter, Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simmering and John and Henry Carbauer, of Columbus, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Eastman, Sunday.

Lewis Hallback was visiting his parents Sunday.

Misses Laura and Effie Hallback and Kate Raynard were spending a few days with home folks.

Frank Will and Ed Simmering, John Carter and James Fulk attended meeting at South Webster Tuesday night.

Chris Gicko made a business trip to South Webster Saturday.

Warren Williams will soon have his house completed.

GIANT OAK MILL

Max Bragg, of Wheelersburg, has returned home from a week's vacation.

Dennis Vanhoose, of Hayport, was the guest of Noah Blair last Sunday evening.

H. J. Caudill was in Rowelsville, Thursday, on business.

Miss Catherine Fisher had the pleasure of entertaining Misses Martha and Mary Blair last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, of Hayport, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Caudill.

Miss Carrie Blair was the guest of her sister, Sunday.

J. L. Caudill, of Hayport, is going to move to Lucasville in the near future.

Noah Blair was the guest of Lucy Plummer Sunday.

Miss Pearl Caudill, of Sand Hill, who has had severe illness, is fast improving.

Miss Catherine Fisher had the pleasure of entertaining Clifford Swift Sunday.

John Plummer has moved to his new home at Hayport.

Willard Stapleton is going to Lucasville to visit relatives.

Curtis Conley, of Scioto ville, was a guest of Ray Stapleton, Sunday.

HENLEY

Quite a number of the young people from here have been attending church at Otway during the last two weks.

Sally Sizemore, who has been visiting friends here, will return to her home in West Virginia next week.

Emma Euton was called to Huntington, W. Va., to attend the funeral of her nephew, Cecil Sparks.

Robert Seaman bought a fine bunch of hogs from Mike Finn last week.

Edna Beltz and Mabel Shope are visiting Otway friends this week.

James Walsh and Thos. Finn, of McCollough, were calling on Mike Finn, Sunday.

Mike Finn, who has been quite ill for some time, is no better.

Mrs. Stephen Brown was calling on Mrs. Dave Brown last week.

Friends from Columbus were visiting Miss Bell Beltz Friday and Saturday.

Robert Shope, Mary Foose, Carry Bdown and Bessie Euton attended church at Otway Tuesday night.

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Winifred Walsh.

Robert Seaman sold a fine bunch of hogs last week at Otway.

Blytha and Dave Knittel made a business trip to Otway, Monday.

A large crowd of young people from here attended the dance given at Henry Lapahs' Saturday night. All reported a good time.

Ed Mapham is seen passing through our village quite often.

Mrs. W. J. O'Brien and Elizabeth O'Brien made a business trip to Portsmouth, Tuesday.

A couple of the French boys from Pond Creek were seen driving into E. A. O'Brien's livery barn Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carpenter, who have been visiting Mrs. Carpenter's parents here, returned to their home at McDermott.

Mrs. May McClary and Aunt Sindy Cooper were visiting Mrs. Jennie Shope Tuesday.

FAMOUS OLD CUB MACHINE A WRECK—ONLY SCHULTE REMAINS

Left to right, top: Tinker, Schulte and Evers; bottom, Chance and Brown.

Of that famous Cub club of 1906, probably the greatest baseball machine ever gathered, there is one lone player remaining—Frank Schulte. Kling, Brown, Reulbach, Chance, Steinfeldt and Slagle are out of baseball. Evers is with the Boston Braves; Tinker is one of the big guns of the Federal league; Sheckard is in the minors, and Hoffman is now playing with the Brooklyns.

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"COLLEGE CHICKEN THIEF" LATEST THING IN CRIME

What will the college graduate turn his attention to next? Here we have had the "College Pugilist," the "College Baseball Player," the "College Burglar," the "College Footpad," etc., and now comes along in Portsmouth a young chap who has been dubbed "The College Chicken Thief."

Chas. Danford is the name given by this faultlessly dressed and well groomed mysterious stranger who tried to dispose of a sack of chicks at Multer Bros.' meat market and was captured by Police Chief W. T. McCarty after an exciting chase Friday morning. He claims to be a "laborer" but his hands give no indication of having been used in working. He uses excellent English, and as one of the officials said, he looks and acts like a "university man."

Danford detecting that he was being watched did not stop for his money after placing the chickens on a scale to be weighed but bolted from the place. He ran up Seventh street like a scared deer and trace of him was lost for a moment. The chief figured he would strike for the outskirts of the city and so hot-footed it to the North End.

He caught sight of his man in the N. & W. yards west of Chillicothe street, looking back to see if anyone was following him. The chief bent over feigning to be looking for something on the sidewalk, then seeing the fellow had not observed him made a hurried detour around through a cut of cars near the Portsmouth Chemical works just in time to jerk the fellow from out of a box car.

He shut up "like a clam", refusing to give any name or any account of himself declaring that any statement he might make would no help his case any. He was taken to headquarters and seated in the chief's private office where under guard he leisurely read newspapers during the time police court was in session. He finally did give a name, said he was originally from Illinois but at present had no home and gave his occupation as a laborer but his general appearance belied the latter claim.

When searched nothing was found on him excepting a souvenir match box he had secured at the Smokehouse. He wore a soft hat, fine black overcoat of good material, dark suit, collar and tie and tan shoes.

Danford said he took the chickens from a farm house but did not know the locality save that it was north of Portsmouth and near a water tank. He denied that he had stolen any more chickens than these he had started to sell at the meat market.

Believing that the man is perhaps a fugitive from justice, the chief will hold him for investigation and meanwhile is busy examining the records and pictures in his rogue's gallery and making comparisons with the strange unknown.

Chief McCarty was first attracted to the stranger through Tom Sennett, of 913 Tenth street, who came to headquarters and reported he had found a sack containing some live chickens in his back yard along the N. & W. cut. He felt sure that they had been thrown there from a passing freight train and feared that someone might suspect him of stealing them. The chief accompanied him to the North End and suddenly the former noticed a well dressed stranger advancing toward them carrying a sack. Sennett did not believe it was the same sack, but as he saw something moving within the chief decided to question the man. Asked what he had in the sack, he, without any show of emotion, declared he had four chickens which he said, were part of a lot his father-in-law had sent to him from the country. He had sent him more than he could use, he said, and was therefore going to dispose of a few. The chief asked him where he lived and he replied "On Fifteenth street. "Where is Fifteenth street?" now quired the chief. "Over there," muttered the stranger, but he was careful not to nod his head in any direction.

The chief permitted him to go his way but decided to shadow him. He trailed him to the Multer meat market. The chickens, which were fine Leghorns, had just been weighed. The chief questioned attaches of the place. None knew the man nor had any chickens been engaged in advance but as they could use them they agreed to buy them when the man offered the four for sale. The chief was talking with a member of the firm when customers began shouting "There he goes." Danford had slipped out of the place and was fast rounding the corner of Seventh and Chillicothe streets. The chief pursued and the capture followed.

Groceries

Potatoes, peck 20c; bushel 65c; sack	$1.45
Sugar 25 lb. sack Arbuckles Cane	$1.60
Bacon, fancy breakfast Bacon, pound	22c
Cheese, fancy brick cheese, pound	20c
Cheese, Cream cheese, pound	20c
Crackers are way up, 2 pounds only	15c
Milk, 3 cans large Pet Milk	25c
Milk, 6 cans small Pet Milk	25c
3 cans good Sugar Corn for	25c
3 cans good Sugar Peas for	25c
3 cans Tomatoes for	25c
3 cans Yours Truly Baked Beans for	25c
1 can No. 2 Pineapple, sliced or grated	15c
4 lb. fresh Corn Meal for	10c
Coffee, our big special, per pound	26c
6 pkgs. Spaghetti, Noodles or Macaroni	25c
5 bars Star, Octagon, Fels Naptha or Ivory Soap for	23c
Asparagus, 1 large 25 cent can only	15c
Lard pure Hog Lard 4 pounds for	55c
Pickles, large Jumbo Sour Pickles, dozen	15c
Pickles, sweet, per dozen	10c
Pickles, mixed, per pint	10c
Cocoa, Hershey's 2 10c boxes for	15c
Sweet Potatoes, only peck	50c
Apples, fancy, only peck	25c and 30c
Beans, fresh hand picked Navy Beans quart	13c
Beans, Butter beans 3 pounds for only	25c
Beans, Red Kidney, Bird Egg or Colored 3 lbs.	25c
Oranges, fancy sweet Florida oranges dozen	20c
Grape Fruit 7 large ones for	25c
Hams, California Hams, best cure, pound	13c

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I offer for sale Monday, February 15, 1915, at 1426 Offnere street: One bed, 1 bed room suite, 1 chiffonier, 1 wardrobe, 1 davenport, 1 library table, 1 dining table, 1 sewing machine, 1 refrigerator, 1 safe, 2 kitchen cabinets, 4 rocking chairs, 6 dining chairs, 1 gas stove, 2 gas heaters, 3 9x12 rugs, 1 go-cart, 2 high chairs, 1 sanitary couch, 1 kitchen table, 1 large mirror.

This furniture has been used fifteen months and is in A-1 condition, will sacrifice as I am leaving city.

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Six New Eagles

Six applicants for membership were admitted to membership and eight more applications for membership were received at an enthusiastic meeting of River City Aerie No. 567, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Thursday evening. A social session followed the lodge session, which was otherwise characterized by routine lodge business. The six candidates voted into the lodge will be initiated at the meeting next week.

Dependent Child

Harry Ball, humane officer, has filed an affidavit in juvenile court, alleging that Celeste M. Fagle, aged eight years, is a dependent child. He claims that her mother is dead, and that her father has abandoned her. The child is now staying at the home of Thomas Daniels, of 1324 Thirteenth street. She will likely be placed in the Scioto county children's home.

Arrested For Vagrancy

A man giving the name of William Gray and who claimed his home was in Portsmouth, was arrested for vagrancy in Cincinnati, Thursday. He was sent to the workhouse for 30 days.

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YOUNG BOY MISTREATED BY A GANG OF HOBOES

Henry Clifford and John Cooper, two North End young men, turned up a revolting case of depravity Friday morning, when they directed Officer Allen to a gang of hoboes camping out at the Black Diamond brick plant Friday noon.

Walter Taylor, a 14-year-old runaway boy from Columbus, who was with the gang, begged pitifully to be spared arrest, and between sobs told how he had been misused by the tramps, two of whom escaped before police reached the scene.

Those taken into custody gave the names of John Korp and John O'Connor, of Columbus, and charges of sodomy were placed against them. Dr. W. E. Gault was called in to examine and attend the boy and confirmed his statements, but found he had not been injured to any extent.

The boy will be held as a witness against the men and then probably be returned to his home. He said he ran away to escape mistreatment at the hands of a stepmother.

After Store Room

The Seibler Tailoring company of Cincinnati has pratically decided to open a tailor shop in Portsmouth. Mr. Seibler was in Portsmouth, Thursday, and while here, opened negotiations for the lease of a Chillicothe street store room.

Schools Will Give Flowers To Sick

Pupils from the two fifth grades at Lincoln building, on Sunnyside, marched to the Hempstead hospital in a body today and presented four beautiful potted plants to the free wards of that institution. This was carried out in celebration of Lincoln's birthday, as this building was named for the martyred President. The teachers of these grades, Mrs. Ella Gable, principal, and Miss Goldie Lantz, accompanied the pupils to the door of the hospital, where the flowers were given to a nurse. It is the plan to present flowers to the sick each week, from now until Spring.

BUYS DISTEL BUILDING

An important real estate deal was consummated Friday when Paul Esselborn, president of the Portsmouth Brewing and Ice company, purchased the Distel building at Eighth street and Campbell avenue, until recently occupied by the Louis M. Distel saloon. The consideration was not made public.

WANT PROPERTY SOLD TO SATISFY MORTGAGE

Attorney John R. Hughes, representing the Commercial Building and Loan association, has filed an answer and cross-petition to the suit filed recently in common pleas court by James A. Hannah against Hazel E. Hannah and the Commercial company.

In the answer, the company says that on September 10, 1914, the other defendant, Hazel E. Hannah, borrowed from it the sum of $3200, secured by a mortgage on the real estate belonging to her. There is now due it, the petition says, the sum of $3165.76, amount for which judgment is asked. The company further requests the court to order the property sold to satisfy the mortgage.

CASE GOES TO JURY

Seven hours were given for argument Friday in the manslaughter cases of Ferrie Dillon, Ezra Knight and Roy Blake, which have been heard during the week at Ironton. The evidence was concluded Thursday afternoon, the defense resting its case with the examination of the three defendants. Judge John C. Milner, of this city, who is assisting the prosecution, had charge of the cross-examination of the trio, and he subjected them to a most severe gruelling.

The cases are expected to go to the jury Friday afternoon, and a verdict is expected Friday evening or Saturday morning.

Hearing Is Put Off

Hearing on the matter of the application for a guardian for John Herrmann, the Ninth street beneficiary, assigned for hearing Friday morning, was indefinitely postponed by Judge Beatty, pending developments. Since the application was filed John has embarked on the sea of matrimony.

In Queen City

Daniel W. Conroy, cashier of the First National bank, went to Cincinnati Thursday afternoon on business. He is expected home Friday night.

WHAT NEURASTHENIA IS

Neurasthenia is a condition of exhaustion of the nervous system. The causes are varied. Continuous work, mental or physical, without proper vacation periods, without proper attention to diet and exercise, also worry over the struggle for success, are the most common causes. Excesses of almost any kind may produce it. Some diseases, like the grip, will cause neurasthenia. So also will a severe shock, intense anxiety or grief.

The symptoms are over-sensitiveness, irritability, a disposition to worry over trifles, headache, possibly nausea.

The treatment is one of nutrition of the nerve cells, requiring a non-alcoholic tonic. As the nerves get their nourishment from the blood the treatment must be directed toward building up the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood and with proper regulation of the diet have proved of the greatest benefit in many cases of neurasthenia. A tendency to anemia, or bloodlessness, shown by most neurasthenic patients, is also corrected by these tonic pills. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Two useful books "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., if you mention this paper.

Returns Home

J. A. Pendergrass, progressive young farmer of near Haverhill, returned home Friday after a visit with relatives in Waverly, followed by a brief business visit in this city.

THE LATEST FAD

Is Book Valentines. Give one to your sweetheart, and get them at the Corner Book store, 2nd and Chillicothe. adv 12-2t

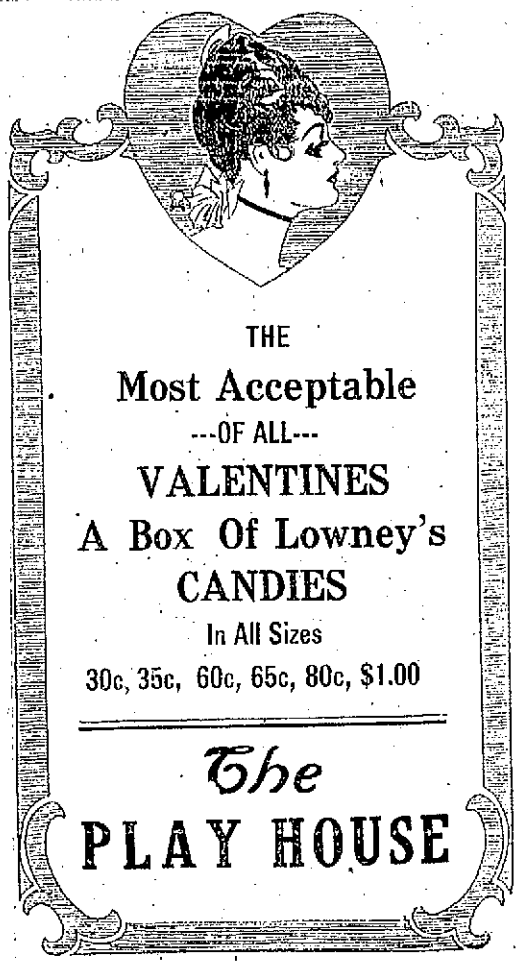
In Ironton

Charles Sperry was called to Ironton Friday on a business mission.

DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look Young! Stop Falling Hair!

If your hair is gray, streaked with gray, faded or falling, even if coming out in handfuls and you want beautiful, dark hair, thick and abundant, free from dandruff, simply apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer to hair and scalp, like a shampoo, rubbing it in gently with the finger tips. To use Q-Ban is no bother, as nothing else is required. It makes your hair soft, fluffy, silky, thick, giving the hair that dark fascinating luster and abundance which makes the hair so attractive. Q-Ban is not sticky or messy; harmless, and is a delightful hair dressing. Also stops dandruff, falling hair or itching scalp. Guaranteed to darken gray hair or no charge. Try it. Big 7-oz. bottle only 50c. Sold by Stewart's Drug Store, Portsmouth, Ohio. Out-of-town people supplied by mail.—(Advt.)



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FELT IT WAS HIS DUTY TO KILL AGED VICTIMS

New York, Feb. 12—While on his way from Bellevue hospital to the West Chester county jail in White Plains on a warrant charging him with the murder of Henry Horn and others, aged inmates of the German Odd Fellows' home, Frederick Mors made a statement yesterday in which he said that "I considered well my action and then decided that it was my duty to put those old men and women out of their pain, their suffering and the horrors of long sleepless nights."

Mors had just been declared "mentally unwell" by the Bellevue hospital alienist and now awaits the action of the grand jury as the first step in a move to inquire into his sanity.

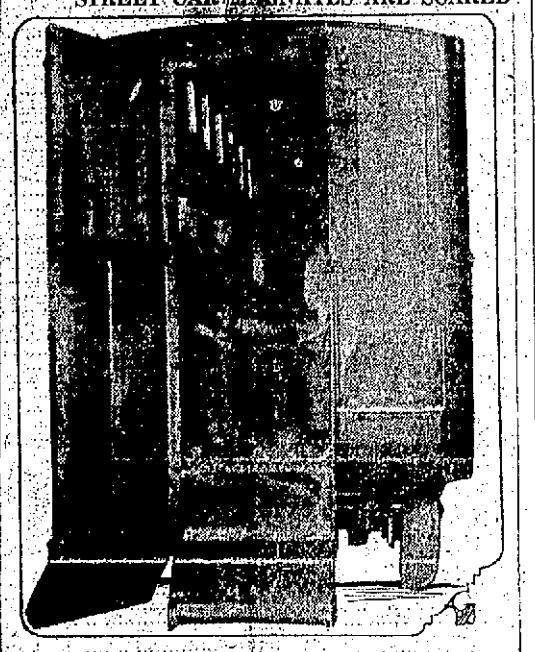
Mors, who is 26 years old, came to this country about 10 months ago, he said, and last July obtained employment at the German Odd Fellows' home near Yonkers.

When asked if any of the eight persons he confessed to having killed had requested him to end their misery, Mors said:

"Two of them." His reason for confessing to the district attorney of New York City was that he feared an investigation and that he thought that, according to the law, he would gain immunity by so doing.

Investigation of Mors' story will be resumed in Yonkers on Monday.

JITNEY BUS WAVE SWEEPS COUNTRY; STREET CAR MAGNATES ARE SCARED



The jitney bus from the rear.

Sweeping the country from the Pacific coast eastward is the "jitney" bus, the little rival of the street cars, and so sudden and extensive is its entry into the passenger-carrying traffic of the cities that the street car magnates are fairly dazed. The Los Angeles Electric Railway is losing $2,000 a day.

CARRANZA EXPELS SPANISH OFFICIAL; SITUATION IS ACUTE

Washington, Feb. 12.—Administration officials and diplomats waited with some anxiety today developments they feared might follow General Carranza's expulsion of the Spanish minister, Jose Cairn, from Mexico. The minister was believed to be on his way to Vera Cruz after having been ordered out of Mexico for alleged harboring of Angel de Caso, a Spanish subject, accused of aiding General Villa.

The American battleship Delaware at Vera Cruz had been ordered to take the minister on board for protection.

WAR'S UNHAPPIEST VICTIMS AT DOOR OF AMERICAN WOMAN

Mrs. Brand Whitlock

Since the great war made the women and children of Belgium hungry and homeless, the women of the United States have been active toward lending them aid, but it has been the privilege of Mrs. Brand Whitlock to do relief work in person for the people of the stricken country to which her husband is American minister. Mrs. Whitlock has been in every movement for mitigating the sufferings of those around her, and to a large extent she has shared their privations.

WASHINGTON AWAITS REPLY TO WARNINGS

Washington, Feb. 12.—Administration officials looked forward to the receipt late today of preliminary advices from Ambassadors Page and Gerard at London and Berlin, respectively, describing the attitude of British and German officials toward the two notes of warning against possible menace to American lives and vessels in the sea zones of war.

Publication of the text of the two documents produced widespread comment among officials, members of congress and diplomatists, most of whom regard them as most emphatic expression from the Washington government on the conduct of belligerents during the present war and presaging, perhaps, further representations on what seem to be American government violations of the rules of warfare.

THREE NATIONS TAKE STEPS TO PUT END TO TRADE IN OPIUM

The Hague, Feb. 12.—(Via London)—The protocol of the anti-opium convention of 1912, which aims at the suppression of the opium traffic and international traffic in cocaine and other noxious and habit forming drugs, was signed today at The Hague by Henry Vandyke, the American minister to The Netherlands; Tang Tsing Fou, the Chinese minister and M. Loudon, the Netherlands minister of foreign affairs.

The affixing of their signatures to the protocol by these three diplomats put the convention into immediate force for the signatory countries, which comprise approximately 175,000,000 inhabitants in China with an estimated population of 330,000,000 the United States 100,000,000 and the Netherlands and her dependencies 45,000. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. Vandyke said in referring to the convention, the terrible fact that this enormous war is in progress should not make civilized nations ignore things which operate for the welfare of mankind. The opium convention aims at putting a stop to the vicious trade in opium as an intoxicant and imposing the strictest regulations on the legitimate commerce in opium for purely medical purposes.

"I hope that the three nations which have taken first definite steps in this direction soon will be followed by many others. It is a great satisfaction that China which has suffered most from the opium vice has taken this step side by side with the United States which has been the foremost nation in adopting legislation against this vicious trade and that Holland, with her immense possessions in the East Indies, should take the same stand."

The international opium association held a series of meetings at The Hague in June of last year some 44 nations being represented. Before adjourning the conference requested Foreign Minister Loudon to obtain ratifications from the adhering powers.

CONFESSES TO DOUBLE MURDER

Elizabethtown, Tenn., Feb. 12.—Clyde Stover, the negro arrested here Wednesday as a suspect in connection with the murder near Welka, Fla., of Alonzo G. Gardner, of Baltimore, confessed today, according to Sheriff Ansbrooks, that he killed Gardner and also his brother Horace B. Gardner, of Springfield, Mass., who is missing.

The negro, who piloted a yacht for the brothers on a camping trip, shot them in the back, the alleged confession said, because they forced him to dance at the point of a gun. One was shot, the negro is alleged to have confessed, as he was butchering a pig same distance from the camp. The other was killed, he said, a short time later at another place.

Big Advance In The Price Of Eye Glasses

New York, Feb. 12.—The greatest advance in price of eye glasses and spectacles ever made at one time, it is said, is announced in price lists issued today by manufacturers. The amount of the increase, which is on lenses, is estimated at from 25 to 50 per cent. About 10,000,000 people in the United States use glasses.

In the absence of an explanation by the manufacturers for the advances, local wholesalers state that the war is the chief cause. Opticians cite changes in the labor laws, manufacturers being forced to employ men for work formerly done by girls. The opticians also assert that fashions in eye glasses, which recently declared that larger lenses shall be worn, are responsible for increased cost of manufacture.

GIRL FROM U. S. HELD AS SPY RELEASED

Berlin (via London) Feb. 12—Miss Carolyn Wilson, of Hoveril, Mass., arrested here several days ago on suspicion of espionage, was released yesterday after a Mr. James W. Baird had interceded vigorously in her behalf. She came to Berlin as the correspondent of a Chicago paper and was taken into custody. It was alleged, because she displayed indiscreet curiosity concerning naval affairs, gun calibres and other matters.

Miss Wilson formerly was a resident of Berlin and was widely known in the American colony. Her release was granted only upon condition that she leave Germany immediately.

ENGLAND ASKS AUSTRALIA TO PROVIDE MEAT

Sydney, N. S. W., Feb. 12—(via London)—The British government has requested all the Australian states to secure all meat available for export during the war, as large quantities will be necessary to meet the needs of the British army. France also will require a considerable supply. The commonwealth parliament has unanimously passed a bill authorizing the measures necessary to this end.

GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS IS POPULAR WITH MEN

Berlin, Feb. 12.—(Via London)—The National Zeitung has published a dispatch from a correspondent on the Russian border who says the Russians are employing thousands of laborers to strengthen their second line of defense. At the fortress of Ivangord, Brest-Litovsk and Kovno men are working day and night. At Brest-Litovsk arrangements have been made to flood the entire district and for a distance of 75 miles the territory around the fortresses has been barred to ordinary travel. Great stores of ammunition and provisions are being laid in. These preparations, the correspondent of the National Zeitung goes on to say, make the inhabitants fear that the Russians soon will be seen falling back.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief in the field, and General Russky enjoy the fullest confidence of the people, the correspondent continues. The grand duke is just now at the height of his power and he is very popular with the Russian soldiers.

Fannie Crosby Dies

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 12—Fannie Crosby, well known hymn writer, died at her home, in the 95th year.

SEND MORE NURSES

Washington, Feb. 12.—The American Red Cross society last night authorized the offer of an additional hospital unit for service in France to care for wounded soldiers.

GERMAN CATHOLIC PRELATE SAYS GOD SHIELDS TEUTONS

Cologne (via Berlin) Feb. 12—Cardinal Von Hartmann, archbishop of Cologne, in addressing a meeting of Catholics yesterday said:

"The Emperor's 'I no longer know parties; I know only Germans,' has found a unanimous echo among the German people, who are united for King and country.

"The motto for today is: 'Trust in God and hold out.' Our armies protecting us in the East and West are in good position. God will not permit atheistic France and orthodox Russia to crush the flourishing religious life in the Fatherland.

"Trust, therefore, in our just cause, our brave troops and the noble Emperor, who is adorned with all the virtues of his Hohenzollern forefathers. Trust above all in the Ruler of Battles, to whom we faithfully and continually pray!"

PORTUGAL PREPARED TO ASSIST ALLIES

Lisbon, (via Paris) Feb. 12—That the government of Portugal has resolved to carry out the policy decided upon by congress on Aug. 8 and Nov. 23, which the assertion made yesterday by Foreign Minister Monteiro in a statement to the press regarding the international situation.

The decisions of congress referred to by Foreign Minister Monteiro were to the effect that Portugal should co-operate with the allies whenever that step seemed necessary. Portuguese troops have been operating against the Germans in Angola, Western Africa, for some time.

Portugal has been making military preparations most of the time since the war began, but uncertain internal political conditions are said to have interfered somewhat with these operations. A part of the army already has been mobilized and its strength is believed to be about 100,000 men. A second mobilization will bring this figure up to at least 245,000. The Portuguese navy has in commission five protected cruisers, three destroyers, four torpedo boats and three submarines.

TRACTION MAGNATE DIES

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Robert A. Balfour, aged 48, financier and traction magnate, of this city, died at his home last night after an illness of several months.

See the Reo Automobile at Stahler's. adv 10-3

HONOR MEMORY OF LINCOLN

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 12—Springfield today did honor to the memory of Abraham and all state offices, banks and stores in the former president's home city were closed on this his natal day. Tonight the biggest celebration of the year in Springfield, the Lincoln Day banquet, will be held in the state arsenal. Governor Dunne will be toastmaster and the supreme court justices and many members of the legislature will be in attendance.

FIRE DESTROYS OLD THEATRE

Chicago, Feb. 12—The Academy of Music, Chicago's oldest theatre, located in the center of the crowded West Side at Halsted and Madison streets, was destroyed by fire early today with a loss of $175,000. It was a four story structure erected in 1870, and was the only theatre not ruined in the great fire of 1871. In recent years the theatre had been operated as a vaudeville house.

MINES RESUMED

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 12.—Operations in the mines of New Foundland, which were practically suspended at the outbreak of the war have been partly resumed.

Always on the job. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Plan To Rebuild Belgian Cities

London, Feb. 12—A comprehensive plan for the rebuilding of towns and cities of Belgium was discussed at the opening here of the international conference of Garden cities.

"From the ashes of the devastated towns and cities there shall arise a newer and finer Belgium," said Herbert Samuel, president of the local government board.

Delegates at the conference include representatives of the United States, France, Holland and Spain.

Germans Warned Not To Insult Americans

Berlin (via London) Feb. 12—An appeal to its readers not to allow hatred for Great Britain to lead them to insult English speaking people in the streets is printed by the Lokal Anzeiger. The paper says it may be assumed in the great majority of such cases that the speakers are Americans. It reminds its readers that diplomatic representatives of the United States have assumed the protection of Germans in lands with which that country is at war.

Probing Complaints

Judging from the character of some of the witnesses the grand jury is investigating complaints against some saloon men.

EXPLOSION IN AMMUNITION FACTORY

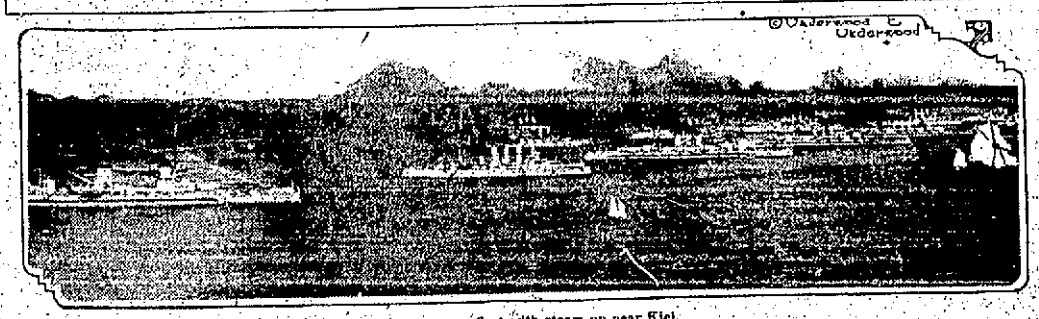
Stockholm, Feb. 12 (via London)—An ammunition factory outside of Stockholm was the scene last night of an explosion which resulted in the death of five persons and the destruction of a considerable supply of ammunition. The loss, however, will have comparatively little effect on the supplies of the army and navy.

Regular steamship service in and out of Stockholm is to be opened shortly. Ice breakers will be used to keep the harbor entrance clear.

Wants Trees Cut Down

A former city official declares that the willows that line the river bank along York Place are ruining the grade causing an eddy to form just below the park. He thinks no better move could be made than cut down all of the willows and keep the river bank clear of them.

HERE'S THE GERMAN FLEET AS IT HUGS COAST NEAR KIEL; ENGLISH WAIT OUTSIDE



German war fleet with steam up near Kiel.

There seems little likelihood of another battle between the German and English fleets in the North sea in the near future. The English navy is far stronger at present, and the Germans plan on continuing their present policy of "whittling down" the English navy by submarine attacks, etc., until the two navies are equal in strength, before venturing an attack.

THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

Cleveland Team To Play Here In April

Portsmouth fans are to be treated to some big league baseball early in April, according to an announcement Friday of President William N. Gableman, who has booked the Cleveland American League club for games at Millbrook park, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, April 10, 11, and 12. One section of the Indians will stop off here on their way north from their southern training trip, which will be made up of some of the old regulars and a few of the more promising youngsters.

President Gableman has received assurance that Pitchers Carter, Hoffer, Tedrow, and Jones, and Outfielder Billy Southworth will be in the group that stop here. As all of these players were former Portsmouth favorites, they are sure to receive a royal welcome from the local fans.

President Gableman also stated that the games would be played regardless of whether or not the local Ohio State League club will have reported by that time. In the latter event, a strong team will be recruited from among the minor league players wintering in Portsmouth and neighboring towns.

CRUM AND MEYERS GO TO TEXAS LEAGUE

President William Gableman of the local State League baseball club, Friday announced the sale of Pitchers Crum and Meyers to the San Antonio club of the Texas League.

The sale price was not made public, but it is understood that the local club will have first claim on their services should they fail to make good. They will be teammates again of John Baggan and Jimmy Edwards, and possibly Irish Conyon, all of whom were sold to San Antonio by the local club earlier in the winter.

JOHNSON IS CHESTY

There is no use making a bet on the Johnson-Willard fight unless you bet that Johnson will win by a knockout, according to Johnson's way of looking at the fight. Johnson says he will win inside of ten rounds, and it will be a clean knockout. So there!

NEW TOWNS TO MAKE UP VIRGINIA LEAGUE

Lynchburg, Va., Feb. 11.—That old Virginia League is going to hit the high places and come down with many a reverberating bound next season. When the circuit, composed of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Petersburg, Newport News, Suffolk and Rocky Mount N. C., tries to weather the storms which inevitably will blow up, is the belief expressed by many fans who are intimately familiar with the conditions under which the organization will operate.

The Portsmouth Club is in bad shape, it is reported, and something like $5,000 was cost to the four winds last season in a futile attempt to gather together a mediocre team of players.

CLARKE IN THE FOLD

Tom Clarke has signed a Cincinnati contract. He wanted to be traded to an Eastern team, but Herzog blocked the deal and Clarke must return to Redland.

CARTER HAS SIGNED

The signed contract of George W. Carter, of Lake Park, Ga., brother of Nick Carter, a member of the local club last season, has been received by the management of the Portsmouth Ohio State League club, and he will be among the youngsters to report here for spring practice. Young Carter is a first sacker, and measures six feet, three inches in his stocking feet. Local club officials expect him to fill the shoes of Jimmy Edwards, who advanced to faster company last fall.

President Gableman is in receipt of a letter from Nick Carter in which he asks to be remembered to his many friends in this city. He is wintering in Lake Park, and is having a great time hunting, fishing and playing baseball.

TO FIGHT IN MILWAUKEE

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Articles were signed here today for a ten round match between Charlie White, of Chicago, and Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champion, to be decided in Milwaukee on Feb. 25. They agreed to weigh 135 pounds at 2 o'clock. It will be their second meeting, the first having resulted in a draw.

REFUSE TO SIGN

Three veterans of last years Portsmouth baseball club have sent back their unsigned contracts to the local club, being dissatisfied with the terms offered. They are Catcher Dilhofer, Pitcher-Outfielder Diltz, and Shortstop Emery. President Gableman expects all three of them to report when the bell taps this spring.

FEDS ARE ACTIVE

Youngstown, O., Feb. 12.—Representatives of President Gilmore, of the Federal League, attempted today to secure a lease on Wright Field. This city is to be included in a proposed Federal League farm circuit, made up of Erie, Akron, Canton, Zanesville, Newark and Youngstown.

Al Boucher, last year third baseman for the St. Louis outlaw team, Promoter Page said, will be the manager of the local club.

Ad Wolgast has two fights in Milwaukee. Ad is fighting with one hand these days, his right mit being on the blink.

BOY SCOUT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
West End	7	1	875
Covenanters	7	1	875
Tigers	3	5	375
Bigelow	3	5	375
C. C. C.	3	5	375
Crackshots	1	7	125

Special Anniversary Games.

The Boy Scout Basketball league schedule provides some crackerjack games for Saturday, and these games being the special anniversary series will make them doubly interesting. The schedule for Saturday afternoon is as follows:

Crackshots vs. Tigers.

Bigelow vs. West End.

C. C. C. vs. Covenanters.

There is some lively fight on now for first and second place. The West Enders and the Covenanters are tied for first place, and the Tigers, Bigelow and C. C. C.'s are in a tie for the second rung. The Stunt Night games were fast and interesting, but the boys are expecting even better games on tomorrow, as the teams who meet are more evenly matched.

The Covenanters who are making such a strong bid for the pennant, will play the fast troop 3 tonight at the First Presbyterian gym, as a preliminary work-out for tomorrow's games, when they meet one of the hardest teams in the league to beat, the C. C. C.'s. The line-up for these two teams Saturday will be as follows:

Covenanters—Wilson, c; Dever and Fortner, forwards; Monk and Yaple, guards. C. C. C.'s—Ball, center; Moll and DeVoss, forwards; Dunn and Bryant, guards.

BASKETBALL RECORDS

Field Goals.

Fortner	10
Dever	35
Schrieck	26
Grice	25
Gims	15
Devoss	12
Gehres	12
Wilson	9
Kricker	8
A. Doll	7
S. Dillon	7
Graf	6
Bromley	4
Ball	4
Hamilton	3
A. Yaple	3
Eisenaugle	2
T. Williams	2
L. Yaple	2
Crawford	2
Engelt	1
W. Hopkins	1
B. Williams	1
Thomas	1
George	1
Scott	1
R. Hopkins	1
D. Dillon	1
Baker	1

Total Points.

Covenanters	187
West End	151
Bigelow	68
Tigers	60
C. C. C.	50
Crackshots	37

Total Fouls.

Covenanters	26
West End	39
Crackshots	36
Bigelow	52
C. C. C.	83
Tigers	58

Fouls.

Kricker	16
Gims	16
Gehres	16
Ball	14
Figgitt	12
A. Doll	12
Fortner	12
S. Dillon	11
Schrieck	10
A. Yaple	10
Graf	10
Bryant	8
W. Hopkins	7
Eisenaugle	7
Hudson	7
Hamilton	7
Dever	6
T. Williams	6
W. Monk	4
Breece	4
Tatman	4
D. Monk	4
L. Yaple	4
Selby	3
Davis	3
Dunn	3
Virgin	3
Baggs	2
George	2
R. Hopkins	2
Bromley	2
Wilson	1
Parker	1
Lakeman	1
Grice	1
D. Dillon	1
Moll	1

Foul Goals.

	Made	Miss
Ball	2	1
Hamilton	7	4
George	1	1
Eisenaugle	1	4
Fortner	15	18
F. Dever	2	3
Bryant	2	3
A. Doll	3	6
Gims	7	10
A. Yaple	4	9
Baker	2	1
Graf	6	17
Grice	2	6
Devoss	2	6
Kricker	1	4
Gehres	1	6
H. Doll	0	6
Wilson	0	2
Parker	0	2
Schrieck	0	2
Crawford	0	2
Eppensteiner	0	1
R. Hopkins	0	1

SPORTLETS

It is said the Feds are after Tillie Shafer, former slugging third baseman of the Giants.

Larry Cheney is ready to join the Federals according to word sent out of Chicago.

"Bresnahan only has four men I would have" said Herzog Thursday when asked if he would pull off a trade with Bresnahan.

New York fight fans are tired of Freddie Welsh. They want to see Mike Gibbons and Packey McFarland in action.

DARING YOUTH ESCAPES OFFICER JOE STOKLEY

A Front street youth, whose name was not learned, was corralled at Third and Market street after he had stolen a dinner bucket and lantern from John Davisson, a B. & O. S.-W. yard engineer Friday morning about 5 o'clock only to escape later from Officer Joe Stokley.

When the officer and prisoner reached the alley adjacent to the Schuler hotel on Second street the latter suddenly pitched the bucket and lantern to the ground and bolted down the alley. Stokley pursued him a short distance but was unable to overtake him.

The bucket and lantern were brought to headquarters for safekeeping. The police have a good clue to the sneak thief's identity and expect to re-capture him sooner or later.

Renovating New Cafe

Albert Yuenger is renovating and improving the interior of the cafe he recently purchased from his brother, Ed Yuenger, at Second and Court streets.

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GALLIA AND OFFNERE STREETS

George Hamm Was Witness

George Hamm, former policeman and at present deputy sheriff of Ross county, returned to Chillicothe Thursday evening having appeared before the grand jury and identified the goods stolen from the Alex Glockner hardware store and for which robbery Ed Kelly, a Detroit young man, is held.

House Is Burned

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Ben Fields home, located about one mile and a half north-east of Lucasville, shortly after midnight Thursday. The house was empty, and the fire had gained serious headway before it was discovered by County Commissioner Daniel Egbert, who lives nearby, and who was awakened by the reflection of the flames.

Mr. Egbert led a party of farm hands to the scene of the fire, but it was doomed to destruction before they arrived. The house was valued at about $600, and is a complete loss to the owner, who carried no insurance.

The general theory throughout the neighborhood is that the fire was caused by tramps, who had taken refuge in the house for the night.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank Building.

York Place Is Cleaned

The reinforced city work gang finished the cleaning of York Place Thursday evening, making an excellent job of it. The gang was put to work Friday morning removing debris from the flood zone in Slabtown. The gang consisted of seven Slabtowners, as many Bucktowners and two Austrians, all in charge of Lon Thomann, assistant city service director.

High School Raided And Money Taken

School authorities are puzzled over the numerous robberies of the past few weeks. On the heels of the robbery of the Union street building Tuesday evening came the report Thursday that the high school building had been broken into Wednesday evening. In each instance, the robbers are unknown.

Thirty dollars in cash was stolen from the desk of the principal, Prof. J. D. Creveling, while Supt. Appel's desk was broken into and a small amount of money stolen. The money taken from Prof. Creveling's desk represented voluntary subscriptions from the student body to be used in paying subscriptions to magazines for the high school library.

Will Hold A Smoker

At the meeting of Massie Lodge Knights of Pythias No. 115 Thursday night arrangements were made to hold a smoker at the next meeting. There was a splendid attendance last night and short talks were made by Mack Joynes, J. Q. Payne and Edward Akers.

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Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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MR. SPRAGUE'S LETTER.

We are more than pleased to learn that Representative Sprague did not intend, by his vote, to convey the idea that he was opposed to the Workmen's Compensation law, but simply desired to give more time to the consideration of a measure that had been initiated by the liability insurance interests. The worst criticism then that can justifiably be made of Mr. Sprague is that, with the best intentions in the world, he went into the record in mighty bad company, for most of those voting as he did were counted upon to support the initiated bill to the last.

Mr. Sprague, as we pointed out once before, has a fine opportunity to make a name for himself in this legislature. He has the ability and the industry and the only thing that looms up to mar his prestige and standing, will be hooking-up with the wrong crowd. And unfortunately in every legislature there is a wrong crowd, a crowd that is found behind vicious legislation of varying character.

In the case of the Workmen's law, Mr. Sprague in the absence of definite information at first hand would, it seems to us, have done better to have followed the recommendation of the committee that had examined into the bill rather than have joined forces with the crowd that was opposing the action of the committee.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE RAILROADS.

A short time ago President Wilson clearly outlined his position and attitude as to the railway corporations of the country, doing so in a letter to Chairman Trumbull, of the board of directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad. The President shows his sympathy with legitimate railroad business and his desire to see railroad expension aided, rather than hampered by radical and unbusinesslike legislation. In his letter to Mr. Trumbull, the president had this to say:

"You asked me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative efforts or by the action wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so, because I think the need is very real.

"They are indispensable to our whole economic life, and railway securities are at the very heart of most investments, large and small, public and private, by individuals and by institutions.

"I am confident there will be an earnest and active co-operation in this matter, perhaps the one common interest of our whole industrial life.

"Undoubtedly men, both in and out of official position, will appreciate what is involved and lend their aid heartily wherever it is possible for them to lend it. But the emergency is in fact extraordinary, and where there is manifest common interest we ought all of us to speak out in its behalf, and I am glad to join you in calling attention to it. This is the time for all to stand together in united effort to comprehend every interest and serve and sustain it in every legitimate way."

Another thing about extending the flood wall is that it would give a lot of work to Portsmouth labor this coming summer. The city should also join the "Do It Now" campaign and thereby give double benefit to the city.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News)

A wise man is known by the company he avoids.

Better one boy in a school room than two in a pool room.

Give some people their pick and they'll proceed to pick flaws.

You can not help a woman's disposition by putting ruffles on her temper.

The day has passed when one can pretend to know things. People want to be shown.

It's surprising how many things you can find to criticize and how very few to commend.

Some men refuse to take physical exercise for their health because it doesn't come in bottles.

The truly dignified man is never ashamed to lay aside his dignity for the purpose of doing his duty as he sees it.

Young man, don't take a girl's hand in yours and tell her you could die for her unless you are willing to earn a living for her.

A POWERFUL SERMON.

The Gallipolis Tribune says that Peter Vinegar, of Danville, Va., was a powerful colored preacher in his day, and possessed the faculty of stirring the imagination of his congregations to a remarkable extent. On one occasion he did himself proud. The Danville Advocate says, he pushed his spectacles up to the top of his head, and remarked:

"My beloved bredderen and sistteren, I take my tex' dis evenin' in dat portion uv de Scriptur' whur de 'Postle Paul pints his pistol at de 'Phesians, and whare it says, 'Whar de hen scratches dar's de worm, 'ceptin' de case whur sum previus hen hav bin dar'." He then proceeded to tell his hearers what a horrible personal appearance the devil presented, with the following description: "His eyes look like two balls uv fire, his teef like two skinned saplins, his ears hang down like a 'baccer leaf an' his bref smoke like a tar kittle." That night Peter made many converts.

Masons Will Have Big Time Tonight

Local Scottish Rite Masons and Knight Templars will be guests Friday evening of the Portsmouth Shrine Club, for whose entertainment a committee from the latter organization had arranged a program of unusual enjoyment. Many of the features of the entertainment are being kept secret and will not be made known until they are presented before the assembled guests.

The fifth and sixth floors of the Masonic Temple are in gala attire in preparation for the event, which promises to be one of the biggest affairs of the year in Masonic circles. A short musical and literary program will be given, and various diversions provided for the pleasure of the guests, who will include the wives and ladies of the members.

Burglars Ransack The Becker Home

Burglars ransacked the home of Russell Becker, assistant treasurer of the Kentucky Fire Brick company, at No. 1722 Grant street from top to bottom Thursday evening, evidently in search of money, but in this must have been disappointed for they obtained but a small amount of change.

Besides the little amount of money secured the robbers took a couple of pieces of jewelry belonging to Mrs. Becker, who is visiting in Texas. A pocket book belonging to Mr. Becker's mother, Mrs. Anna Becker, was taken from a dresser drawer, rifled of its contents, then thrown on the floor.

The robbery was discovered by Mr. Becker's mother when she returned to the home about 8 o'clock. She found the house in a topsy-turvey state and a rear door open. Mr. Becker arrived there later. Firemen from the Hilltop engine house and police were soon on the scene and began an investigation. Muddy footprints around the kitchen table caused the belief that entrance must have been gained through a kitchen window.

The robbery is thought to have been the work of amateurs and as the police have a good clue some arrests may follow. The Roy Lynn blood hounds would have been used in trailing the robbers but they happened to have been taken out of the city Thursday evening.

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MOTHER McGREW AND EMILY EEL

I'll tell you the story of Emily Eel
And when I am through I am sure you will feel
So sorry for Mother McGrew, you'll declare
That she did just right about Emily's hair.

Each morning the children of Mother McGrew
Had their hair brushed and combed, as all nice children do;
And none of them cried except Emily, and she
Had tantrums, and acted disgracefully.

She wouldn't stand still, but would hop all about
And scream, "You are trying to pull my hair out!"
And then she would cry just as loud as she could,
Till Mother McGrew felt like spanking her good.

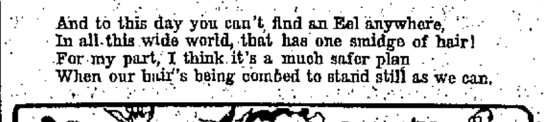
There wasn't a reason for her acting so,
For Mother McGrew didn't hurt her I know.
But she kept right on till she finally got,
A good severe lesson, which helped her a lot.

One morning when she'd been unusually bad,
(I'd hate to say how many tantrums she'd had)
Old Mother McGrew exclaimed in despair,
"You do not deserve to have one single hair!"

And Miss Emily stopped crying just long enough,
To say, "Well I wish you would cut the old stuff."
And sure as you live old Mother McGrew
Said, "That is exactly what I'm going to do."

So she tapped her three times with magical stick,
And Emily's head became p-e-r-f-e-c-t-l-y s-l-i-c-k.
She felt awfully bad, when she looked in the glass,
And wished for her hair, but 'twas too late, alas!

And to this day you can't find an Eel anywhere,
In all this wide world, that has one smidge of hair!
For my part, I think it's a much safer plan
When our hair's being combed to stand still as we can.



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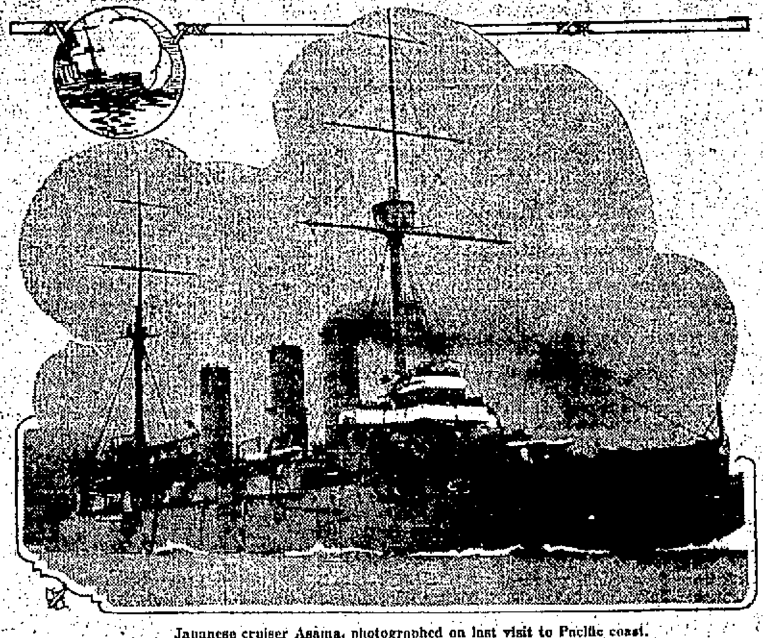

Japanese cruiser Asama, photographed on last visit to Pacific coast.

Was the Japanese cruiser Asama, reported last week as in great distress off the coast of Lower California, really wrecked? Admiral Howard, commander of the Pacific fleet, has reported that the commander of the Asama declined assistance from his flagship San Diego and the cruiser Raleigh, which were sent to the Asama's aid. The navy department is without information concerning the condition of the vessel.

Lullaby—A Modern Version

Rock-a-by, baby, up on the bough,
You get your milk from a certified cow!
Before your eugenic young parents were wed
They had decided how you should be fed.

Hush-a-by, baby, on the tree-top,
If grandmother trots you, you tell her to stop.
Shun the trot-horse that grandfather rides—
It will work harm to your little insides.

Mamma's scientific—she knows all the laws—
She kisses her darling through carbolized gauze.
Rock-a-by, baby, don't wiggle and squirm,
Nothing is near you that looks like a germ.
—Exchange.

Heavy on the Education

Private tuition taught.—Ad of School at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Some Show, This

"Two Women" in three parts, is the attraction at a local movie house today.

The Village Cutup

Hoyt Lamb received a cut on the forehead in the post office Monday morning when Oscar Turnbow playfully tossed a good sized chunk of coal in his direction.—Hazel (Ky.) News.

Gee!

A naughty young chappie called Sis
Asked a sweet chorus girl for a kiss.
She replied, with a smile,
"I don't think it worth while
To forfeit complexion for bliss."

Teaching Shakespere Something

Members of the Shakespere Club spent a most enjoyable day in South Bend at the home of Mrs. L. M. Jones. A well written article on parcel post was read.—Miles (Ind.) Sun.

The Seven Ages of Names

First age (the new babe)—Oootsie, wootse, mamma's pet.

Second age (able to walk)—Snookums or Buster.

Third age (going to school)—According to his parents, Willie. According to the members of his gang, Bill, or Red.

Fourth age (engaged to be married)—Peaches.

Fifth age (a father)—Da, da.

Sixth age (well along in years)—A pioneer resident.

Last age—The late lamented.—Indianapolis Star.

Trimmed

He wrote a sonnet called "Her Hair",
And hopefully he shipped it;
And when the verses printed were,
An editor took up a pair
Of scissors long and clipped it.

No Hitching Allowed

An elderly farmer drove into town one day and hitched his team to a telegraph post. "Here," exclaimed the burly policeman, "you can't hitch there!" "Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, why have you got a sign up, "Fine for Hitching?"

Preaching For Cash

Shortly after the reconstruction period began, an old Southern planter met one of his negroes whom he had not seen since the latter's liberation, says Judge. "Well, well!" said the planter. "What are you doing now, Uncle Josh?" "I's a-preachin' of de Gispil." "What! You preaching?" "Yassah marster, I'se a-preachin'." "Well, well! Do you use notes?" "Nossuh. At de fust I use notes, but now I demands de cash."

"Um-m-m-m" Said the Silent Ten

Mrs. Linda Lockwood entertained the Silent Ten at her home on Tuesday evening with a taffy pull.—Traverse City Record-Eagle.

Po' Lil' Sheep

Mary had a little lamb
And found it very nice.
So pretty soon she craved the boon
Of just another slice.
—Grand Rapids Press.

Mary had a little lamb,
But Mary was no glutton.
So she invited all her friends
To have a slice of mutton.
—Akron Beacon-Journal.

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Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

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Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more.

POLLY AND HER PALS — "TA-RA-RAH" OR TIARA---IT'S REAL DIAMONDS

HEAR CHARGES TODAY OF MISCONDUCT OF W. VIRGINIA JUDGE

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Investigation into the charges against Federal Judge A. G. Dayton, of the northern district of West Virginia, scheduled to begin here this afternoon before Representatives McGillicuddy of Maine, Danforth of New York, and Gard of Ohio, a sub-committee of the judiciary committee of the House of Representatives, brought together many of the leading lawyers of West Virginia and number of organized labor men on whose complaint the charges were filed by Representative M. M. Neely of the first West Virginia district.

The resolution under which the committee will take testimony directs that it inquire whether Judge Dayton conspired with certain corporations and individuals to bring about the removal of the late Judge John J. Jackson as judge of the federal district court; whether he has shown marked favoritism to certain corporations having extensive litigation in his court and has summoned as jurors persons connected with these corporations; whether he has used his power as judge to further the interests of his son, Attorney Arthur Dayton; whether he has lent his services as judge to coal operators by improperly issuing injunctions; whether he has shown hatred and bitterness toward miners on trial in his court; whether he has used his office to discourage miners from exercising their rights to organize and prohibit assembly; whether he conspired with certain corporations in the formation of a carbon trust in violation of the law; whether he openly stated he would not permit the United Mine Workers of America to exist within the jurisdiction of his court; whether he has said in open court that the United Mine Workers were criminal conspirators and finally whether he has been guilty of any act for which he should be impeached.

The charges were filed after a number of miners had been imprisoned for violating an injunction issued by Judge Dayton in connection with the strike at the Hitchman mine near Wheeling.

Sues For Damages

Suit for $300 damages was filed in Squire A. J. Finney's court Thursday afternoon by Attorney F. T. Moreland, representing Elbert McKinley Johnson, a minor, through his uncle and next friend, John Osborne, against James Maxwell, of this city. The suit is based on alleged personal injuries sustained by the defendant while in Maxwell's employ.

The petition alleges that young Johnson on September 24, 1912, while employed in making repairs to the Maxwell Flats on Gallia street, was instructed by Maxwell to knock off a supporting brace to the floor.

In complying with the order the petition states that he stepped on a rotten board which gave way and precipitated him to the cellar below, breaking his arm and causing other bodily injuries. Negligence on the part of Maxwell is alleged by the defendant, who seeks $300 damages.

Charles Billian, who resides at 911 Chillicothe street, had the index finger of his right hand mashed and broken Wednesday while at work in the plant of the Selby Shoe Company. He operates a "breasting" machine and one of the cutters in it struck the finger, according to Mr. Billian, who was reported doing nicely Friday. His finger was dressed by Dr. J. W. Fitch and Dr. C. W. Wendelken.

FAMOUS OLD CUB MACHINE A WRECK—ONLY SCHULTE REMAINS

Left to right, top: Tinker, Schulte and Evers; bottom, Chance and Brown.

Of that famous Cub club of 1906, probably the greatest baseball machine ever gathered, there is one lone player remaining—Frank Schulte. Kling, Brown, Reulbach, Chance, Steinfeldt and Slagle are out of baseball. Evers is with the Boston Braves; Tinker is one of the big guns of the Federal league; Sheckard is in the minors, and Hoffman is now playing with the Brooklyns.

Afro-American League Reverence Memory Of Great Emancipator

Portsmouth's colored folk crowded the A. I. U. hall Thursday night, gathering there to reverence the memory and to recall the many brilliant deeds of one of America's most beloved presidents and statesmen, Abraham Lincoln, whose one hundred and sixth birthday anniversary will be celebrated today, Friday, February 12, in practically every American city.

Professional men, business men, finance kings, mechanics, laborers and school children paid tribute to Abraham Lincoln today.

The exercises held last night were conducted under the auspices of the newly formed Afro-American League of this city and a program distinctly patriotic in flavor was rendered in commemoration of this God-fearing man. Lincoln was extolled, commended and reverenced in song and in an oratorical way. John Evans, who was largely instrumental in forming this league, acted as chairman of the meeting.

The program was opened by a selection by the Lewis band under the leadership of Edward Walton. This was followed by the invocation delivered by Rev. Grant Metcalfe. The band then rendered a stirring selection.

Lincoln's famous proclamation was then read in an effective manner by William E. Gooden. He was followed by Garrett Starks, who sang a solo. He was followed by Lawrence Johnson, who delivered an address on "Lincoln As President." The Hamilton Jubilee Singers then rendered one of their best songs and they were followed by James Melvin, who told about "Lincoln As A Citizen." The band then rendered another selection and this was followed by a solo rendered by Seymour Payne.

William E. Huley then delivered an address on "Lincoln As A Statesman," which was followed by John Richardson, who sang a solo. Rev. John Irvin, pastor of the Allen Chapel, was not on the gram, but when called on for a short talk he extolled Lincoln as a citizen, statesman and president in a most effective manner.

Chairman John Evans then delivered his address on Lincoln. Mr. Evans said in part:

The League stands for the advancement of the science of political economy, the propagation of higher principals of the negro citizenship of Portsmouth, the promotion of friendly and social relations among their race and a better and more convenient discharge of the other duties that are connected therewith and for the just recognition that they are entitled to.

The object of the League, will be to bring about a better acquaintance with the paramount as well as patent matters which are indeed most salient to them as a race of people at this time.

This League shall be known as the Portsmouth Afro-American League of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

It is fitting and proper that the Afro-American League assemble here this evening on the eve of the anniversary of the birth of one of America's greatest statesman living or dead.

Abraham Lincoln was born in Larcu county, Kentucky, February 12th, 1809; and was shot by a play actor named John Wilkes Booth on the eve of April 14th, 1865. He departed this life the next morning, April 15th, without a sign of recognition or a parting word to the friends who watched so anxiously by his side.

This man Lincoln was an upright, godly man, a patriotic citizen, "With malice towards none, with charity for all". Lincoln has departed to the chilly waves of Jordan, but his character and sentiments will forever live. Lincoln, on the anniversary of Washington's birthday, stopped at Philadelphia February 22nd, 1861, to raise the flag over Independence Hall. His message to his countrymen then almost gave promise to the future of Afro-Americans, in this Christian nation of people.

Read Lincoln's closing words in the light of past history. They are as follows:

"We are not enemies, but friends. Though passion may have strained, it must not break our bonds of affection. The mystic chords of memory stretching from every battlefield and patriotic grave to every living heart and hearthstone all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union, when again touch, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nation."

Martin Luther says: "By faith the just shall live". I, having abiding faith in God, believe that the time is not distant when God is going to uplift some white-hope not in the pugilistic reign nor on the battlefields of Carnage, but in the pulpit, as Henry Ward Beecher in his day, in the legal fraternity as Wendell Phillips, Salmon P. Chase, William Lloyd Garrison, in the political arena, as Charles Sumner or Joshua Giddon, in the Women's Federation, as Harriet Beecher Stowe.

In the White House, the nation beckons for a second Lincoln. Great men are the instruments of God. They are his voice to the suffering, his shield to the oppressed.

WILL AID IN REVIVAL

Rev. J. E. Dibert left today over the N. & W. R. R. for Sinking Springs, Ohio, where he will assist his brother, Rev. William S. Dibert, in special meetings for a few days.

WATCH FOR UNIFORMS

At the meeting of the I. O. O. F. Canton Orient No. 67 held Thursday night the patriarch militant degree was conferred on one candidate, Willard Beekman. The degree team will wear its new uniforms at the next meeting.

Suffered Stroke

The Ironton Register says concerning the illness of Rev. Patrick Henry:

"The many friends of Rev. Patrick Henry will be grieved to learn that he was stricken with a paralytic stroke last evening at his home on Upper Third street, a short distance below Ice Creek bridge. Apparently Rev. Henry has been in fairly good health and was down in the city Tuesday meeting friends. The stroke has affected his leg, arm and side although his attending physician, Dr. Dan Gray reports him bearing up well and is conscious. Rev. Henry has almost reached his eightieth mile stone and has been in the ministry close to fifty years. The Register with his numerous and esteemed friends regret to hear of his sad misfortune."

Going To Pittsburgh

Ralph Schoonover, who recently resigned as secretary of the Heer Engine company, expects to leave within a few days for Pittsburgh where he has secured a position.

AN ATTRACTIVE SKING COSTUME

This charming miss is wearing the latest thing in the way of a skiing costume—a dark, red melton coat with wide belt and trousers to match and high mooseskin lace moccasins.

Chicken Thief Is Caught After Chase

Charles Manford was the name given by a faultlessly dressed and well groomed mysterious stranger who tried to dispose of a sack of chicks at Müller Bros.' meat market and was captured by Police Chief W. T. McCarty after an exciting chase Friday morning.

Manford detecting that he was being watched did not stop for his money after placing the chickens on a scale to be weighed but bolted from the place. He ran up Seventh street like a scared deer and trace of him was lost for a moment. The chief figured he would strike for the outskirts of the city and so hot-footed it to the North End.

He caught sight of his man in the N. & W. yards west of Chillicothe street, looking back to see if anyone was following him. The chief bent over feigning to be looking for something on the sidewalk, then seeing the fellow had not observed him made a hurried detour around through a cut of cars near the Portsmouth Chemical works just in time to jerk the fellow from out of a box car.

HOME BAKING SALES PLANNED

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Hutchins Street Baptist church met Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Cabiness, with 28 members and 7 children present. A crazy quilt was disposed of, netting $9. It was decided to hold a home-baking sale every Friday evening in the basement of the church.

After the business session refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Bruce, and sister, Mrs. F. L. Larcamp.

13 At The Altar At U. B. Church

Last night, at the United Brethren church, Rev. Harter gave sin a scathing denunciation, using as a subject, "The Wages of Sin."

He stated that his intention was to swing the red light signal, the danger signal, so that souls might not go down to hell. He denounced sins of all kinds, big sins and little sins, high sins and low sins, stylish sins and degenerate sins, sins in heavenly places and in all other places. He proved that sin was the most expensive thing in this or any other country. Showing that it has built our jails, prisons, penitentiaries, criminal courts and divorce courts. He stated that it blighted, demoiched and damned. Wishing that people would become as sick of their sins as the whale was of Jonah, saying there would surely be a separation. He stated that the saloon was productive of much sin and said, "If I voted to perpetuate the saloon, I would say to my son, patronize it, for I brought it into existence for you." When a man votes for the saloon, he says to his daughter, 'I open the brothel for you; go in and live in sin and shame.'

"There may be some innocent people in the jails or the penitentiary, but there are none in hell."

The appeal was tender and pathetic, yet firm and clear.

Thirteen responded to the altar call and ten professed conversion.

This was the best meeting of this revival and the interest is still increasing. Fifteen or more asked for the prayers of the people of God.

Services tonight at 7:15; also Saturday evening at 7:15.

Will Open Harris House

John Parkison is putting in his spare time at the Biggs House fitting up tables and other new furnishings for the Harris house of which he will assume charge Mar. 1.

Repair work our specialty. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

OBITUARY

William Zala Martin

Death closed the earthly career of one of Portsmouth's life-long residents and old rivermen when William Zala Martin, 65, breathed his last at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nettie Bihlman, of 1405 Eleventh street, Thursday evening at 9:50 o'clock. His death was due to paralysis, with which he was stricken seventeen months ago while in the employ of the city water works department.

During the past few weeks his condition had become more grave and his death, while a severe shock to his relatives and friends, was not unexpected. One week ago, while the Ohio river was flooding his old home at Mill and Waller streets, he was removed to his daughter's home on Eleventh street, where the final summons came.

Mr. Martin was born back of Fullerton, Ky., sixty-five years ago, and was brought to this city by his parents when he was but two years old. He has resided here ever since, having occupied his late residence on Mill street for the past thirty-five years. He was an old river man, having been employed in his younger days as a boat builder, and later as a saw mill man.

In 1872 he was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Davis Watson, who with five children, survive him: Mrs. Frank Berry, of Front street; Mrs. Nettie Bihlman, of Eleventh street; Mrs. Charles Gilmore, of Twelfth street; Charles Martin, of Twelfth street; and William Martin, of Jackson street. Fifteen grand-children and two great grand-children also mourn his loss, in addition to two brothers, Lorena Martin, of Columbus, and Charles Martin, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Jones, of Philadelphia.

The deceased was a member of the First Christian church of this city, and a devout attendant and believer in the doctrines of the church. He was devoted to his family, and his greatest joy was great grand-children, whom he loved dearly. All of the children were at his bedside when the end came.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bihlman, of Eleventh street. In the absence of the pastor of the First Christian church, Rev. E. B. Hamilton, pastor of the Grandview avenue Christian church, will have charge of the services. Interment will be in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Charles Flowers

With a smile on her face, a prayer on her lips, and surrounded by her loved ones, Mrs. Charles Flowers, aged 39 years, wife of a well-known police officer, peacefully passed away at the family home, 1715 Eighth street, Thursday night.

Just shortly before she lapsed into an unconscious state, Mrs. Flowers had summoned the husband and children to her bedside and urged them to lead upright lives so that all might be reunited in Heaven. She sang several of her favorite hymns and then seemed to welcome the end, which she knew was at hand.

Mrs. Flowers had been suffering with stomach trouble for over a year, but had been bedfast only a short time. Her maiden name was Ella Buckley, and she was a daughter of the late Fred Buckley. She was a good Christian woman, dutiful wife, devoted mother and kind neighbor. Besides her husband she leaves three children: Leslie, aged 18 years; Ethel, aged 15; and Garnet, aged 12. She is also survived by her aged and widowed mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Buckley, one sister, Mrs. Grant Goings, and three brothers: Daniel Buckley, of this city; John Buckley, of Fullerton, Ky.; and George Buckley, of Goshen, Ind.

Mrs. Helen Mickels

After a five months' illness with complications, death at 5:50 Thursday evening ended the suffering of Mrs. Helen Mickels, wife of William Mickels. Mrs. Mickels made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Charles G. Johnson, of 1006 Eighth street. She underwent a change for the worse several days ago and since that time she had been in a critical condition.

Mrs. Mickels was 52 years old and in addition to her husband she leaves one son and one daughter, Henry Mickels, of Waverly, and Mrs. Charles G. Johnson, of this city. Mrs. Mickels also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Donna Hatten, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Lou Billups, of Ft. Gay, and Capt. R. S. Strother, of Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.

The funeral services will be conducted from Mrs. Johnson's home Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, by Rev. C. Lloyd Streeter, pastor of Trinity church. The body will be shipped to Prichard, W. Va., where the interment will be made.

Ironton Co. Is Winner

Chicago, Feb. 12.—It is announced that the Ironton Cement company has been adjudged the lowest bidder for 60,000 barrels of Portland cement to be used in the construction of an Ohio river dam near Maysville, Ky.

May Not Live

Mrs. Mary Woodruff, aged 86, years, who slipped and fell on the kitchen floor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Reid, of Sixteenth and Findlay streets a few nights ago, fracturing her hip, is not expected to live. She is the widow of the late Isaac Woodruff, a pioneer Portsmouth blacksmith.

Cannot Surprise The Mayor; He Knew The Reservoir Would Leak

The mayor issues a statement that the fact, that the reservoir is leaking is nothing strange or unusual for it should be remembered, he says, that the reservoir as yet has not been treated with reference to leaks.

What has been done to date was confined to strengthening the side walls that they might withstand the pressure of water when the basin is filled to its capacity without danger of collapsing. The engineers and contractors all felt that the pumps should be first put in shape that water might be supplied to the city direct from the pumping mains before draining the reservoir so that leaks might be located and properly tightened. The pumps are still in process of rebuilding, alteration and repair and may continue so for some weeks to come during which time the leaks in the reservoir will not be taken care of.

The mayor had insisted upon the reservoir being tightened before the excavation for the buttresses was first begun but the engineers and contractors had preferred to fill the excavations then clear the centers with the remaining earth to show that the leaks had been properly taken care of.

Attention S. O. V.

Headquarters Vienna Camp S. of V. No. 26, Ohio Div.

All members of Vienna Camp are urged to meet at G. A. R. hall, Gallia and Findlay streets at 7 sharp this (Friday) evening, to march with Bailey Post G. A. R. and participate in the patriotic observance of Lincoln Day at high school auditorium. Members are asked to wear regulation badge. Drum Corps report early.

GEO. S. CARROLL, Sec. JOHN R. SKELTON, Com.

MANY COMPLAINTS MADE ABOUT DOGS

Numerous complaints were received at police headquarters regarding dogs Thursday evening.

Word came from the West End that a dog on Third street showed symptoms of rabies. Officer George Harding fired one shot at the dog but it escaped. Police were notified that two dogs had been penned up at No. 1404 Findlay street and that the owner desired an officer to shoot them. Complaint was also received about two dogs at Front and Waller streets barking constantly at night and disturbing residents of that vicinity.

MAN WHO REJECTS GOD IS DOOMED

SAYS EVANGELIST

The great meeting at the First Baptist church last night and the sermon will be long remembered by those who were present. The house was filled. The preacher was at his best and delivered a marvelous sermon on the subject "The Three Crosses" from the text Luke 23:17. These crosses stand for three classes, or three great epochs in the history of the human family. The cross on the right stands for unbelief; the cross on the left for repentance, and the cross in the middle for God's grace and forgiveness.

Two classes of persons are seen in this tragedy. The people who repent and the people who go out into eternity in their sins. Around this middle cross gathers all history, and from this cross dates all the future. Every legal document, every business transaction, every social communication begins with "The Year of Our Lord."

It is the basis of all moral tone of every civilization for 1900 years. It is the dividing line between life and death. From that cross men are sealed in death or are brought into eternal life. It is the dividing line between man and God. It is the rejecting cross and this is the greatest of all sins as the respectable man who rejects Christ is separated from God the same as the "down and out" for there is no difference. Then there is the repenting cross. "Lord remember me when Thou comest into Thy kingdom." Where do you stand tonight? There were two conversions last night. Services tonight at 7:15.

Ben Hur Meeting

Members of the newly organized Ben Hur Court in Wheelersburg will attend the regular meeting of the Ben Hur lodge here tonight. An effort will be made to have a large attendance as a class of candidates will be taken in.

WOMAN ALLEGES BRUTE MADE ATTACK ON HER

Ironton, O., Feb. 12—For an assault with intent to rape, alleged to have been committed upon Miss Anna Grayman, a domestic at the home of A. H. Tollman, at Kelly's bridge, this county, John Kelley, a farm-hand, aged 49, married, and the father of six children, was arrested last night by Constable Brannigan and Deputy Sheriff Hutchinson, on a warrant sworn out in Squire Neal's court Thursday morning by Miss Grayman. Kelley was lodged in the county jail and will likely be arraigned in Squire Neal's court today.

Miss Grayman declared that on Wednesday, while Mr. and Mrs. Tallman were in this city, disposing of their farm, Kelley came to the house and attempted to criminally assault her, but her extraordinary strength prevented. She escaped from him and ran to the home of a neighbor.

Miss Grayman is the daughter of Ben Grayman, a blind man, of Vesuvius, and a great deal of feeling has been aroused over the incident among the farmers. Kelley resides at Horse Shoe Bend and was working as a farmhand on the Tallman farm when the assault is alleged to have occurred.